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OUTLINES.

The terrorist record for September in Russia was 207 murders, including 73 officials, 34 persons were executed and 172 persons wounded——A terrific earthquake occurred somewhere to the southward yesterday, as recorded by the seismograph at Albany, Washington, and Baltimore and Toronto; the earth disturbance began at 9:04 A. M.; continued two hours and is estimated to have occurred from 1,000 to 5,000 miles away——The Standard Oil Company has prepared an elaborate defense in the government's suit in New York to dissolve the oil trust——New York alienists yesterday declared insane the Rev. Maxwell Walenta and Mrs. Dora Baur who so shocked New York by declaring that they were each other's "affinity"——The wholesale price of spirits was advanced one cent a gallon at Cincinnati yesterday making the price $1.03 per gallon less the government tax, the largest price since the civil war——Nineteen theatre managers at Kansas City have been indicted for opening their theatres to the public on Sunday——Secretary Taft yesterday formally opened the Philippine Assembly at Manila in the presence of a large number of people; he said the United States had no intention of selling the islands and reiterated his declaration that the Filipinos should be given their independence as soon as they are capable of self-government——A woman and two men have been arrested at Lead, South Dakota, for attempting to extort $20,000 from J. Grier, manager of a gold mine, under threat that they would dynamite his fine residence unless he complied with their demands——Trading in both the New York Stock Exchange and on the curb was in a turmoil yesterday owing to the violent declines in United Copper stocks, common, tumbling from $59 a share to $36, and preferred showing a decline of 74 to 24; as a result of the slump the firm of Gross & Kleebery went to the wall——In an address in Washington yesterday, Dr. Andrews, of the University of Nebraska, advocated hanging for newspaper men who libelously misrepresent the acts of public men—The Episcopal general convention at Richmond yesterday adopted a resolution to protect the sanctity of the pulpit, requiring that only a licensed or ordained minister, a Christian person approved by the Bishop, or recognized laymen will be permitted to officiate at services; the house of bishops adopted a resolution recommending that the title page of the Prayer Book be changed so as to strike out "of the United States" from the title "Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States," so that the book will be better suited to foreign missionary work——New York markets: Money on call 3 1-2 to 6 per cent., ruling rate 3 1-2, closing bid 4 1-2, offered at 6; spot cotton steady at 11.75; flour dull but steady; wheat easy, No. 2 red 1.-12 1-8 elevator; corn easy, No. 2, 74 1-2 elevator; oats steady. mixed 56; turpentine firm 56; rosin firm.

Whoever it is that is trying to make women without curves will revive all that talk about nature fakirs.

Republicans used to stick out their chests and say "Roosevelt does things." We hear rumors from Wall Street that he even overdoes things.

If you can possibly do so, make good in the race of life, but fight shy of the methods that will mark you as an individual of predatory predilictions.

It is said that Governor Deneen, of Illinois, will send a 10,000 word message to the Legislature. That is liable to create the suspicion, that he wants to prove that he is Presidential timber.

Says the Newbern Sun: "Bootlicking is a sorry business and there is no best to it." We infer from this that Editor Phillips would be a hard man to get into the boot-licking business, even if there were anything in it.

Secretary Taft may be of Presidential size, but he hasn't got the Presidential face. For that matter, however, President Roosevelt never in this world could have gotten in on his face. What's in a face, anyhow?

A dispatch from Hamilton, O., to the New York Herald says a woman in Preble county has developed a horn two inches long on her forehead. We don't mind horns where they can be seen but it is the hidden pin that gets next to us.

A biologist declares that the wings of a fly move 350 times a minute. This simply lets the gap down for some measley man to say that it reminds him of how fast a woman's tongue can move when she wants to give you a piece of her mind.

The plea is now put up for the Rev. Maxwell Walenta, of New York, who took another man's wife as his "affinity," that the woman hypnotized him. Maybe that's what's the matter with the laymen when they become perfectly infatuated with some charmer.

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AN INSPECTION OF WORK

Trip Down to Southport as Guests of Capt. Earl I. Brown Yesterday. Other Appointments to Speak. Visited Schools.

Mr. John A. Fox, of Cincinnati, traveling director of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress who has been here since Monday in conference with the Chamber of Commerce committee acquainting himself fully with the project for a 30-foot depth of water from Wilmington to sea, left last night for an itinerary of the State, speaking to the business men of the principal cities visited and pointing out to them why the only solution of the railway freight rate problem lies in the government improvement of the waterways of the State, it being now generally recognized that all rates to interior points are based upon water transportation to the ports. Mr. Fox will go first to Asheville and will speak there tomorrow night; then he goes to Charlotte on the 21st, Salisbury on the 22nd, High Point on the 23rd, Greensboro on the 24th, Winston on the 25th, Raleigh on the 28th, Durham on the 29th, Goldsboro on the 30th, Wilson on the 31st, Fayetteville on November 1st, thence back to Wilmington where he will attend the proposed State Waterway Convention on the fifth of the month. At each of the places named Mr. Fox will speak in the evening and it is hoped that the business men of each community visited will turn out en masse to hear him. The officers of the various commercial organizations in the towns and cities visited are requested to make appointments for him on the dates mentioned and they may be sure of hearing something that will interest and benefit them.

In company with Chairman James H. Chadbourn and Mr. H. W. Malloy, of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce Committee, and Mr. John D. Bellamy, Jr., of the Wilmington bar, Mr. Fox was yesterday the guest of Capt. Earl I. Brown, in charge of the United States Corps of Engineers in this district, for an inspection of the river and harbor improvements now existing and under way at Wilmington, the party having left at 10:15 o'clock yesterday morning on the government steamer Mercur and having returned after a most interesting day yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. In showing Mr. Fox about the city, just prior to the trip on the Mercur, he was privileged through the courtesy of Mr. Chadbourn and Mr. Bellamy, of the committee, to visit the Union and High schools at each of which institutions he made a very interesting little address and expressed himself as well pleased with the future of Wilmington as reflected in these two public schools.

The party boarded the Mercur at the Custom House yard and after a pleasant run down the river the visitors were met at the wharf by a delegation of fifteen or more prominent business men, county and city officials of Southport, who boarded the steamer and went over to the fort where a brief stop was made and Mr. Fox addressed the Southport delegation on the general question of the government improvement of the natural waterways of the country. He set forth the advantages of river and harbor improvements, laying especial emphasis on the effect of such improvement on the freight rates of the country and the quicker dispatch of traffic, using many figures and statistics and expressing the opinion that the only solution of the transportation problem, which is even more marked in the West than in the East, lies in this direction. He explained why the 30-foot project for Wilmington was not a local but a State project and would inure to the benefit of Southport, Fayetteville and every other town or city of importance in the State for which the rates are now based on the water transportation to Wilmington. It was his desire to see North Carolina not only solidly supporting the project for Wilmington, but the inland waterway and the deepening and broadening of every navigable stream within the confines of the State. Mr. Fox was heard with great interest by the Southport delegation for fifteen minutes or more after which Mr. M. C. Guthrie, president of the Southport Chamber of Commerce, responded, assuring Mr. Fox of the hearty co-operation of the people of the Southport section and promising to send delegates to the convention in this city on the 5th of November.

On account of the limited time at the disposal of the committee the party could not inspect the fortifications at Fort Caswell and the return was made immediately to Southport where the party from that city disembarked, thanking Captain Brown, Mr. Fox and the Wilmington committee for the privilege of hearing a discussion of the important subject in hand.

After the party had disembarked, the Wilmington committee and Mr. Fox were guests of Captain Brown for an elegant luncheon served on the boat, which was altogether one of the most pleasant features of the inspection the remainder of the time having been given over strictly to business. Before returning to Southport the party was taken for a skirt of the Bald Head island and Mr. Fox seemed much impressed with the general outlook for making Wilmington a great Atlantic seaport.

Mr. Fox left last night, as stated, for Asheville and it is sincerely to be hoped that he will be heard by large crowds at each place which he visit in the State. He is an authority on river and harbor improvement and combines with his general knowledge of the subject the talents of an engaging and convincing speaker. He will be heard with pleasure everywhere he goes.

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STATE SYNOD NEXT WEEK

Annual Meeting at Hendersonville Next Week of Interest to Presbyterians All Over North Carolina—300 Ministers.

Presbyterians in this city and all over the State are taking much interest in the forthcoming annual meeting of the North Carolina Synod of the church which will be held this year, beginning next Tuesday, at Hendersonville, N. C. The meeting will embrace the denomination in the entire State and naturally it will be a most important one. Wilmington and Wilmington Presbtery will be represented at Synod by some eight or ten ministers and they will carry with them gratifying reports of the progress of Presbyterianism in the East.

The present moderator of the State Synod is Rev. W. R. Coppedge, of Rockingham, and the stated clerk is Rev. D. I. Craig, of Reidsville. The opening sermon on Tuesday evening will be delivered by the moderator, Rev. Mr. Coppedge. As to the attendance it is probable that there will be close to 300 ministers and elders present. Each church is entitled to at least one representative besides its minister. The Charlotte Chronicle says:

"The work and progress of the Presbyterian Church in North Carolina during the past year has been marked by progress and great gains along every line, and the various general reports to be rendered at the gathering of Synod are expected to reflect this state of affairs thoroughly. The selection of Hendersonville as the place of meeting and the propitious time of the year are expected also to attract a somewhat larger attendance than usual. The climate is the finest in the South, and the scenery and surroundings easily come under the same descriptive terms, so that a pleasant outing will be enjoyed by those in attendance besides the benefit and inspiration gained from attendance upon Synod."

THE LATE COLONEL WOODWARD

Pretty Tribute to Memory of Deceased Past Grand Chancellor.

No prettier or more sincere tribute has been paid to the memory of the late Colonel William J. Woodward than the expression unanimously adopted by Stonewall Lodge No. 1, Clarendon Lodge No. 2, Germania Lodge No. 3 and Jefferson Lodge No. 61, Knights of Pythias, at a joint meeting held on Tuesday night. The tribute adopted in honor of the deceased Past Grand Chancellor is as follows:

"Our friend and brother has fallen on sleep. A loving husband and father, to his family the loss is irreparable. A good citizen, he will be missed among those interested in the welfare and progress of the community. A brave soldier, he will be mourned by that remnant of the gallant men of '61 and '65 who yet survive. A loyal friend, beloved of many, let the presence at his obsequies of the number who knew him testify. Into our Order he carried the admirable qualities of character which marked his life in the outer world. Devoted to the principles which he professed, he practiced what he believed and met the highest standard of our Order in spirit and in truth. His ability, earnestness, and love for the Order were recognized by his promotion to the highest office in the State which his fellows could bestow upon him. He was a member of a Wilmington lodge, but every lodge in the State knew and loved him. He has passed from mortal ken, but he has left with us the fragrant remembrance of a gentle and kindly spirit. Our memory of him will always be a happy one.

THOS. D. MEARES, Stonewall No. 1.
JAMES D. NUTT, Clarendon No. 2.
JOHN HAAR, Germania No. 4.
H. E. BONITZ, Jefferson, No. 61.

Revival at Bladen Street.

What promises to be a very successful revival at Bladen Street M. E. Church was begun on Monday night. The pastor, the Rev. A. J. Parker, is being assisted by Rev. N. M. Watson, of Grace Church, and the interest is growing. The services are held nightly at 8 o'clock, preceded by a song service at 7:45 P. M. The public is cordially invited to attend any or all of these meetings.

BUFFALO BILL TODAY

Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders of The World Are Coming.

TWO EXHIBITIONS GIVEN

Magnificent Production of Historical and Educational Nature Headed By Col. Cody—Seventeenth and Princess Streets Car.

With a retinue of horses and riders unparallelled in the history of arenic exhibitions in this country, fifteen different nationalities and as many races being represented, Colonel William F. Cody, otherwise "Buffalo Bill," with his Wild West and Congress of Rough Riders of the World will reach the city at 7 o'clock this morning from Florence, S. C., and immediately on the north side of the street car line at Seventeenth and Princess streets will begin the erection of a tented city such as the people of Wilmington are privileged to see only once in a lifetime.

Two long trains of sixty-three cars, requiring two of the largest locomotives of the Atlantic Coast Line to draw them, will be required to bring the enterprise to the city. There are in the aggregation 550 horses and 750 employes and the large canvas which will shelter this mammoth attraction and the people who come to it will be 400x500 feet in size. The seating capacity of the main tent is 15,000 at a single performance, opera chairs being furnished for the grand stand and every other convenience being provided for the comfort of spectators. The erection of the great amphitheatre this morning with hundreds of canvassmen and stake drivers busily at work will be a sight which hundreds will journey out to the grounds to see. As previously announced, there will be no street parade this year. Col. Cody abandoned this five years ago and has seen no reason to inaugurate the ancient custom again. The entire energy of the horses and the show folks is concentrated upon the two performances to be given during afternoon and evening at 2 and 7:30 P. M., and it is too much to expect them to plod through the streets after the necessarily long jumps that a show of this kind must take. From Florence the Wild West goes to Goldsboro tomorrow and then to Richmond where the season will be closed on Saturday.

While there will be no parade Colonel Cody, driving a magnificent team of white horses, King of the Plainsmen as some one has dubbed him, will be seen driving through the principal streets and many who have seen the grand old warrior before will take this occasion of seeing him again in private life. His hair, snow white, but his face as young as it was 20 years ago, Buffalo Bill is indeed a picturesque personage. The long wave of his hair caught in the wind and wafted about his shoulders, his large blue eyes and handsome profile, are the envy of more than one person of his years and it can be well imagined that when he dons his tog of the arena and displays his horsemanship and marksmanship, the picture is perfect.

Mr. Fdk. Mordaunt-Hall, general press agent of Col. Cody, arrived in the city last evening, and talks quite interestingly of the Wild West as it will be portrayed here today. Buffalo Bill still goes through with his marvelous exhibition of shooting glass balls thrown in the air by an Indian attendant. Though his mount is a prancing horse at full gallop and his attendant is similarly mounted when the missiles are thrown in the air Col. Cody rarely misses a shot.

The whole exhibition is pracically of a world that has passed into oblivion, a world that will live forever, like the masterpiece of an artist, and yet which it is impossible to find in America today.

There are battle scenes with the very men taking the same parts they did forty years ago, reckless riding as it was half a century ago in the plains of the West; highly strung men who go through lightning drills, and everything that not only interests but amuses young and old alike. It is a lesson all through.

To add to the interest in the exhibition Col. Cody has added to his show a troupe of acrobats from far off Arabia. They are under the leadership of Abou Hammad, and their agile and clever performance always elicits great outbursts of applause. It thrills to see Abou Hammad, after turning wonderful somersaults, hold nine men on his stalwart shoulders, and it almost makes one dizzy to look on at the whirling dervish.

Enough praise cannot be given to the world-famed shot, Johnnie Baker, who is also the stage manager of the immense aggregation. It is under his command that the whole performance runs, and it is his whistle which gives the signal for a horse to come on or get ready for the arena.

On account of the circus today a special schedule will be operated on the suburban line. After 10 o'clock the cars to the beach, instead of going round by 17th street, will be operated—the old way over the 10th street track. This is done so as not interfere with the 10-minute schedule that will be operated between Front and Princess and the circus grounds.

The schedule to the beach for the day will be as follwos: Leave Front and Princess at 10 and 11:30 A. M. and at 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 and 11 P. M. Leave the beach at 10:45 A. M. and at 12:15, 2:15, 6:15, 8:15 and 10:15 P. M.

The regular belt line cars will not run beyond Ninth and Princess streets. That is, there will be no regular city cars operated on Princess street. Cars coming around the belt on Ninth street will be turned back at Ninth and Princess, and passengers for Front and Princess and points beyond will be transferred, taking one of the cars that will be operated between Front and Princess and the show grounds.

TO IMPROVE CAR SERVICE

Street Railway System of Consolidated Company to Be Divided Into Four Operating Districts. Transit Headquarters.

With a view of providing more satisfactory service to the public, especially on the Princess street line, it is announced that beginning next week the street railway line of the Consolidated Company in this city will be divided into four operating districts or divisions. What is known as the belt line will be divided into two divisions, the point of divisions being at the switch near Sixth and Ann streets, while the other single track lines will constitute the other divisions. They will be known as follows: Castle street, Princess street, South Wilmington and Carolina Place lines.

As provisionally mapped out by the company, the Princess street line will be operated Sixth and Ann to Fourth and Campbell streets; the Castle street line from Sixth and Nun streets to Fourth and Taylor streets; the South Wilmington line from Front and Princess to Third and Kidder streets, and the Carolina Place line from Front and Princess to Seventeenth and Market streets.

While the plan is necessarily intricate, illuminated signs are being prepared for the different cars and it is expected that the public will become accustomed to the changes in a short while. A schedule will be published in due time and it is expected that the division of the system into these operating districts will greatly imprve the service about which there had been some complaint, especially as to Princess street.

Transportation headquarters of the company have now been nicely fitted up on second floor of the Junction Restaurant building on Princess street, and the arrangement is proving quite satisfactory to the men and to the company. There are three rooms in the quarters, one of which is occupied as an office by Superintendent of Transportation John J. Sheehan, who has practically ideas about street railroading and is doing much for the service.

Funeral of Mrs. Mintz.

Impressive funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. T. W. Mintz were conducted yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. Kenneth D. Holmes, pastor of Fifth Street M. E. Church, from the family residence. No. 718 South Front street. Many friends were present to pay a last sad mark of respect and esteem to the young woman and a number of handsome floral designs were laid on the casket. As stated yesterday Mrs. Mintz is survived by her mother, husband, one little son and several sisters and brothers, most of whom were here for the funeral services

Not the J. D. Sidbury.

While the initials are the same and both are engaged in the horse business, Mr. J. D. Sidbury, who lives at 515 South Fourth street, and is a brother of Messrs. N. and V. Sidbury, desires it stated that it was not he who was engaged in the cutting affray on South Front street Monday night. Mr. Sidbury, who asks that the correction be made, was out of the city at the time and returned only last night, to find that some of his friends could not understand why his anatomy is still intact. It was "the other" Mr. J. D. Sidbury.

Boll Weevil in Pender.

The Pender Chronicle has received several cotton bolls that have been attacked by the boll weevil. These came from the farm of Mr. J. F. Johnson about eight miles west of Burgaw. It is greatly to be regretted that this pest has made its appearance in Pender, and if there is any way to kill it out, it ought to be applied at once, says the Chronicle.

Police Court Yesterday.

There were no cases of interest before the Mayor yesterday. Mr. N. E. Gallagher was charged with fast driving, but he showed conclusively that the horse he was driving was beyond his control and he was discharged. Mary Crawford, colored, was given 30 days on the farm for vagrancy.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Academy of Music—Parsifal.
A. D. Brown—Fashionable Veilings.

Business Locals.

C. P. B. Mahler—House For Rent.
C. P. B. Mahler—Two Large Rooms.
Gentleman — Desires Comfortable Room.
Mrs. A. M. Gilbert—The Gilbert House.

STATE FAIR EVENTS

Principal Feature of Week Yesterday Was Grand Lodge Temple Ceremonies.

COTTON GROWERS IN SESSION

President Harvie Jordan Heard By Large Number of People On the Grounds—Financing the Crop a Problem.

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 16.—The princi-

Raleigh, N. C ,.Oct. 16.—The principal feature of the State Fair events here today was the ceremony of laying the corner-stone for the North Carolina Grand Lodge Masonic Temple, preparations for which has been in progress the past several weeks. Hon. James Richardson, head of the Masonic fraternity in America was to have delivered the principal address, but was unable to be here and this honor fell to Gen. W. R. Cox, of Edgecombe county, chairman of the Grand Lodge committee having in hand the erection of the temple. He in forcible terms reviewed the efforts in the past on the part of North Carolina Masons to erect a temple for the grand lodge in Raleigh, this, the successful one, being the third in the State History of Masonry. General Cox was heard with deep interest. The only other address for the occasion was that by Hon. Francis D. Winston, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge, who had charge of the ceremonies. His address was brief and delightful to the great audience to a degree.

The parade which preceded the ceremonies at the Temple was brilliant. It moved up Fayetteville street, around Capitol Square and thence back down Fayetteville street to the temple, where the ceremonies prescribed for such a Masonic event began at once. The procession was headed by a platoon of police and the order of the line was: Chief Marshal Carle A. Woodruff, retired army officer, and aides; two companies North Carolina National Guard; Cadets A. & M. College; Raleigh Fire Department; Grand Commandery Knights Templar, as escort for the Grand Lodge; officers of the Grand Lodge, and Master Masons of the Grand Lodge.

For the ceremonies there was music at intervals by a chorus of forty voices and the Third Regiment Band. The invocation was by Rev. Frederick Nash Skinner, Grand Chaplain. General Cox delivered his address. Then souvenir programmes giving this in detail, being distributed generally among the people.

President Harvie Jordan, of the Southern Cotton Growers' Association, was the special speaker at the State Fair this afternoon. He discussed the cotton crop as compared with other products, better methods of handling, storing and financing the cotton crop, the necessity of the abolition of extreme speculation by cotton exchanges and the necessity for a better understanding between the cotton growers and spinners and the necessity for a compact organization throughout the South that can handle the crop and maintain an equitable relation between the manufactured article and the raw material.

He took the position that decided reforms are needed in systems of baling and storing cotton through the local gin compression. He insisted that cotton bagging should be used instead of jute; that the speculation in cotton where there is to be no actual delivery of cotton should be abolished; the gradual abolition of a large per cent. of the local middle men.

He urged the adoption of spot cotton exchanges at central locations throughout the cotton belt, where cotton would be sold direct to the exporters and manufacturers. He advocated the formation of a permanent association of the cotton growers and spinners, sessions to be held annually and co-operation maintained at all times. He insisted that a staple price was only to be maintained at high level by marketing the crop as it is needed for actual consumption. To this end there must be adequate warehouse and storage facilities to take care of the weak growers financially.

President C. C. Moore, of the North Carolina Division Cotton Growers, was with President Jordan and spoke briefly on the need there is for farmers to do banking business, keeping their money in bank so it will be available in the business of the South, especially in financing the cotton crop.

Married Last Night.

Last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Frost, No. 912 South Third street, Miss Fannie Frost, their daughter, became the attractive bride of Mr. Walter W. Harrison. The ceremony was by Rev. J. S. Crowley, pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church and quite a company of friends and relatives were present to witness the event. Following the marriage Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and the wedding party were elegantly entertained at a reception at which dainty refreshments were served. The bride and groom will make their home in this city, where they have a great many friends.

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REFORESTATION A NECESSITY.

The rapidity with which the forests of the Carolinas are disappearing is astonishing and even amazing. A member of the Star staff recently visited a once fine forest section to find it cut away and farm houses miles away from each other, and once shut out of sight of each other by fine woods, now in full view for miles around. The saw mills and more active agricultural operations are responsible for it. The lumber industry has been a tremendous source of wealth for North Carolina, but we fear that in the long run we will have to pay severely for the loss of our forests.

It may be all right to cut away our forests if we adopt plans for restoring them. Surely we should not destroy them unless we take some steps towards reforestation. That will be a serious subject with us in a few years. The Brooklyn Citizen reminds us that sneers generally greeted the prediction a few years ago that the time was near when the prosperity of the nation would be threatened by the reckless waste of the forest. Nobody sneers at the statement today; for even the lumbermen who are responsible for that waste, now see the folly, if not the wickedness, of their ways, and are taking advice from the Federal Agricultural Department on the subject of reforestation in many places. However, the advice and help of the government is still much needed in many places to save what is left of the forests from destruction; and, in fact, things have come to that pass in the country as a whole that the words of Gifford Pinchot, the Government's Chief Forester, are justified when he says that it is already entering upon a timber famine, and the situation may soon become serious.

It is serious enough, now, when the hard pine of Maine on the one hand and of North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and nearby States on the other, is gone; when the trees once relied on for the production of naval stores, lumber, wood pulp and the resulting paper have disappeared, and when vast areas on which giant trees once grew are now returning the glare of the sun from barren rock, the fertile earth that nourished them having been washed away since they were removed for lumber—serious enough to justify the warning given by President Roosevelt in his Memphis speech. In the course of that he said, in part:

"We are consuming our forests three times faster than they are produced. Some of the richest timber lands of this continent have already been destroyed and not replaced, and other vast areas are on the verge of destruction. It is clear beyond peradventure that our natural resources have been and are still being abused; that continued abuse will destroy them and that we have at last reached the forks of the road. We are face to face with the great fact that the whole future of the Nation is directly at stake in the momentous decision which is forced upon us. Shall we continue the waste and destruction of our natural resources, or shall we conserve them? There is no other question of equal gravity now before the Nation."

Commenting upon what the President says, the Brooklyn Citizen remarks:

"There is none at this time, as we have said, to dispute this statement; none, we should say, that does not comprehend its full meaning; and none who does not wish that the remedy for such a situation will be found and applied. Our remedy is, of course, that suggested by the President for the conservation of the national resources of forest production; but that is not all; for, it is plain enough that there will not be such conservation on the scale contemplated while the Government continues to offer a premium on forest destruction.

"That premium is found in the tariff which makes it more profitable for the time being to destroy our own disappearing forests than to levy on the comparatively inexhaustible forests of other lands. Canada could do much to meet our demand, but for the traiff that shuts out her possible product. So could Mexico and Central and South America and the West Indies; and we might even draw on the timber resources of Australasia and other places that have much to spare by a tariff modification which would give our own timber lands a breathing spell and time to grow new woods in place of the old.

"But there is another aspect of this question which adds to its gravity as seen by the President; and that is that the waste of woods creates also a waste of water, which is quite as much needed for the health and well-being of the nation and its industries as the woods themselves.

"For, while the destruction of the woods wanted for railroad ties, for buildings, for furniture and the many needs of civilized life, heightens the cost of these and of living in general, it also opens the way to the outpouring in torrential streams and of a sudden of the water needed for all purposes which otherwise would drift and sieve slowly seaward, yielding its power and resources for the wants of man on the way and all the year round."

All of this is true. It is a serious question for North Carolina and other States. Let our people at once begin the work of reforestation before it is too late. The Agricultural Department at Washington will tell you how.

HOW THE MILLS HELP THE FARMERS.

The Charlotte Observer, of Monday contained this significant item of news:

"The Cannon Mills, of Concord, through their local representative, Mr. C. E. Barnhardt, paid out more than $11,000 for spot cotton purchased on the streets Saturday. Of the 332 bales sold that day, the Cannon Mills bought 174 bales. Friday, the Concord interests purchased approximately 156 bales, the amount distributetd aggregating something in the neighborhood of $9,500. The total amount distributed during the two days was about $20,000. Last season the Cannon Mills purchased approximately 5,000 of the 17,000 bales sold on the Charlotte market. The estimated consumption of the Cannon Mills during the coming season is between 75,000 and 80,000 bales."

Charlotte has about a score of mills herself and it looks curious to see the Concord mills going there to compete with the Charlotte mills in buying the cotton marketed in the Queen City. It shows that the cotton mills create a home demand for cotton and afford competition in the home markets.

Not many years ago all of the Charlotte receipts of cotton were bought and shipped away, but her mills and the adjacent mills spin almost as much cotton as the State produces. Altogether, the mills of North Carolina really consume all the cotton grown in the State and draw on other States for an additional supply. This shows us that we have a home market for the cotton produced in the State and that our mills are in the market competing for the staple and thus assuring good prices. It is a very common occurrence for the mills to pay more than the market quotations for cotton.

The most significant part of it is that the cotton is manufactured at home and the money for its manufacture stays at home as well as does the money paid out for producing the crop. In other words, North Carolina produces cotton, manufactures it and the money for the manufactured product comes back home to enrich the State, give employment to the people, and make prosperity. This is quite a contrast with the times when we raised the cotton crop, shipped it away and bought it back in manufactured products, necessarily paying more for it than we sold it for. Thus is the advantage of manufacturing and diversified industry illustrated.

No wonder the South used to be poor under the old system. We see the benefit of manufacturing our own cotton, now let the South manufacture hundreds of other commodities for which we are sending away our money.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—Now let the country take a fresh start to the Jamestown Exposition. It beats Buffalo, and at this time the Buffalo, Exposition was drawing its heaviest crowds.—Norfolk Landmark.

—Sientists now claim that whiskey does more harm that good in cases of snake bite. One by one a man's best excuses for stowing away the stuff are being ruthlessly destroyed.—Washington Post.

——An Omaha editor asserts that Bryan is weaker than he was in 1896 and 1900. The weakness must be confined to his legs, then, for his lungs still seem to be all right.—Washington Post.

—Poor old Cassie Chadwick! If she had elected to turn her business ability to honest instead of dishonest, uses, she might have ranked as one of the world's most famous female financiers. But she selected the other path and died in prison. — Binghamton Press.

—"Grand Old Texas. The exquisite, ethereal, Edenic, Elysian, ecclesiastical, efflorescent, embowered, effulgent, enverdured, epiclastic, exalted, and eutaxological emporium of eternal ecstasy," shouts the Houston Post. What are you going to do with a hopeless case of mind wandering like that?—Washington Herald.

—All the crowned heads of Europe, the German Emperor being the last one, have refused invitations to visit poor old Leopold of Belgium, which ought to remind his satyrship, and also some folks who are not kings, that the best way for social recognition amongst decent people is to turn the garden hose on the Augean stables of private life.—Richmond Journal.

—The News has it on the very best authority that there is a strong probability of a compromise being reached between the State and the railroads in the suits now pending under the terms of which the State will dismiss its suits and the fines imposed if the railroads will submit to the rate law and try it fairly until the next session of the legislature. We would be exceedingly glad to see this vexing question settled in this way. We believe it would go far towards allaying the feeling that now exists against the railroads. And we believe further, that if after a fair trial the 2 1-4 cent rate proves too low that the people of the State will see to it that justice is done the railroads. We sincerely hope that some such amicable solution as that suggested above may be reached at an early date.—Charlotte News.

TWINKLINGS.

—"Oh, but you mustn't blame me for my ancestors, you know." "I don't. I blame them for you."—Pick-Me-Up.

—Miss Oldgirl—Yes, I am single entirely from choice. Miss Pert—Whose choice?—Philadelphia Record.

—First Horse (attached to lover's sleigh)—Let's run away, Dobbin. Second Horse—What's the use? They wouldn't notice it.—Chicago News.

—Borrowell—It doesn't pay to strike a man when he is down. Harduppe—No, the chances are he hasn't anything, anyhow.—Baltimore Record.

—"When do you expect to get that question settled?" "I don't know that I want it settled," answered Senator Sorghum. "My very best speeches are made on that question."—Washington Star.

—The Professor—It is said that the ordinary brick absorbs nearly fifteen ounces of water. The Joker—All the boys say Boozem is a brick, but I never heard of him absorbing water.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

—"Aren't you nearly ready to start?" asked the amateur gunner. "Yes," replied the guide, "I'll be ready just as soon as I can borrow a dog." "Why, where's your own dogs? What has happened to them?" "Nothing, and I meant to see that nothing shall." Philadelphia Press.

—"Oh, Miss Tuttleson," said little Bobbie, who had been kept after school, "whenever I see you I can't help thinkin' of experience." "What do you mean?" the lady demanded with a good deal of asperity. "Experience is a dear teacher, you know." Then she gave him a pat on the cheek and said that he might go if he would promise not to make faces at any of the little girls again.—Chicago Record-Herald.

SPECIAL TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Advance in Rates of Subscription Beginning October 1st.

Beginning October 1, the subscription rates of The Morning Star will be as follows:

By Mail—One year, $6.00; six months, $3.00; three months, $1.50; two months, $1.25; one month, 75 cents.

By Carrier—Delivered in any part of the city, 50 cents per month either by the month or year.

This moderate advance has been deferred until 't has become absolutely necessary on account of the largely increased cost involved in the production of newspapers.

For many years the subscription price of The Morning Star has been lower than that of any other paper of its class in the State.

A Criminal Attack

on an inoffensive citizen is frequently made in that apparently useless little tube called the "appendix." It's generally the result of protracted constipation, following liver torpor. Dr. King's New Life Pills regulate the liver, prevent appendicitis, and establish regular habits of the bowels. 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.

TO THE BEACH
Suburban Schedule

(In Effect Monday, Oct. 13th, 1907.)
Daily Except Sunday.

Wilmington Eastbound	LEAVE Wrightsville Westbound	Beach Westbound
7:00 A M	6:25 A M	
7:30 A M	7:55 A M	7:45 A M
8:30 A M	8:25 A M	8:15 A M
10:00 A M	9:25 A M	9:15 A M
11:30 A M	10:55 A M	10:45 A M
1:00 P M	12:25 P M	12:15 P.M
2:30 P M	1:55 P M	1:45 P M
3:00 P M	3:25 P M	3:15 P M
4:00 P M	4:25 P M	4:15 P M
5:30 P M	5:25 P M	5:15 P M
6:15 P M	6:25 P M	6:15 P M
7:00 P M	7:25 P M	7:15 P M
8:00 P M	7:55 P M	7:45 P M
9:30 P M	8:55 P M	8:45P M
11:00 P M	10:25 P M	10:15 P M
	11:25 P M	

Freight Schedule

Leave Wilmington 4:00 P. M. (daily except Sunday).

Freight received at Ninth and Orange from 3 to 4 P. M.

CAROLINA PLACE SCHEDULE

Cars will be operated between Front and Princess and Seventeenth and Market every 20 minutes. Leaving Front and Princess at 6:50 A. M. until 9:50 P. M.

Leaving Seventeenth and Market from 7 A. M. until 10 P. M.. All Suburban cars will make regular stops at Delgado.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Wilmington Eastbound	LEAVE Wrightsville Westbound	Beach Westbound
8:00 A M		
9:00 A M	8:55 A M	8:45 A M
9:30 A M	9:25 A M	
10:00 A M	10:25 A M	10:15 A M
11:30 A M	10:55 A M	10:45 A M
1:00 P M	12:25 P M	12:15 P M
2:30 P M	1:55 P M	1:45 P M
3:00 P M	3:25 P M	3:15 P M
4:00 P M	4:25 P M	4:15 P M
5:30 P M	5:25 P M	5:15 P M
6:15 P M	6:25 P M	6:15 P M
7:00 P M	7:25 P M	7:15 P M
8:00 P M	7:55 P M	7:15 P M
9:30 P M	8:55 P M	8:45 P M
11:00 P M	10:25 P M	10:15 P M
	11:25 P M	

Carolina Place Schedule.
(Sundays)

Leave Front and Princess streets every 20 minutes from 8:30 A. M. to 9:50 P. M.

Leave 17th and Market streets every 20 minutes from 8:40 A. M. to 10 P. M.
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Schedule Steamer Atlantic

Effective September 1st.

Until further notice, Steamer Atlantic will leave Southport daily at 7:30 o'clock A. M. Leave Wilmington daily, except Sunday, at 2-30 o'clock P. M.

M. T. CRAIG,
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will be independent when grown up. One of the best habits to inculcate in children is that of saving. It is their safeguard for the future. It is a practical business education in itself. Teach your children to deposit their savings with us, and by the time they have attained their majority they will have a fine nest-egg awaiting them here.

Carolina Savings & Trust Co.

Big White Building, Corner Front and Princess.
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$100.00 REWARD.

One hundred dollars reward is hereby offered for delivery to the Sheriff of New Hanover County one L. M. Bryant, implicated in the killing of Banks Rothwell, colored by verdict of coroner's jury. Bryant is white, short, red complexion, light sandy hair, light stubby mustache, very talkative, and slouchy in appearance.

D. McEACHERN,
Chairman County Commissioners.
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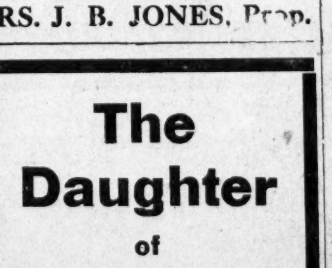

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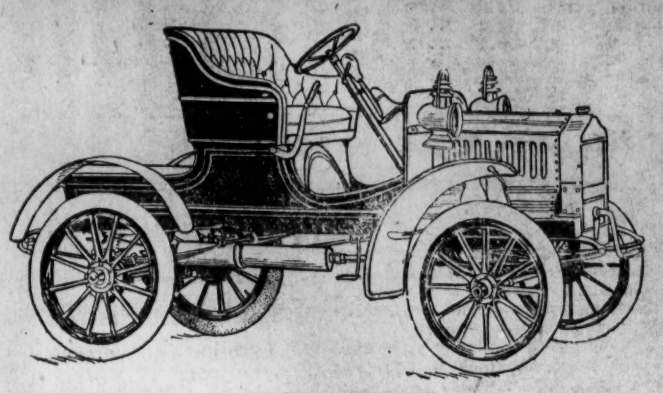

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ENTRY NO 9112.

North Carolina, New Hanover County. The undersigned H. T. Fergus and E. Hollis of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, enters and lay claim to the following described piece or parcel of land: In Masonboro Township, New Hanover county, State of North Carolina, the same being vacant and unappropriated land subject to entry, viz: Bounded on the north by Swimming Hole slew; on the east and south by Rock Hale slue; on the west by the channel of Myrtle Grove Sound and known as Skip Jack Shoal, containing two acres more or less.

E. HOLLIS,
By D. J. FERGUS,
H. T. FERGUS.

October 1st, 1907.

Entered and filed this first day of October, 1907, at 2:20 P. M. by Henry Horne, Deputy Register of Deeds and Deputy Acting Entry Taker for New Hanover County.
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STEAMER WILMINGTON.

Effective September 11th the Steamer Wilmington will leave Wilmington daily for Southport at 2 P. M. and leave Southport daily at 8 A. M. Fare 25 cents.

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A vegetable lard, without any hog-fat in it. Made of purest, refined, deodorized cotton seed oil, under Wesson process. Odorless and tasteless.

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is full of all the new Carpets, Art Squares, Rugs, Lace Curtains. We are the largest handlers of the above in the State. Call to see us when in need of Floor Covering or Window Shades.

Trunks, Bags and Suit Cases at reduced prices.

The C. W. POLVOGT COMPANY

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Wilmington's Great Furniture Store

126--128 Princess Street.

218 Iron and Brass Beds, actual count, $2.50 up

88 Dressers, actual count, $4 up.

128 rolls Matting, actual count.

O, well, whatever you need in the home. We buy for less, we sell for less. 'Nuff said. Just come in and see for yourself.

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of paying more for an article through prejudice, than you can buy for less, that's just as good?

Take Whiskey, for Instance.

We make but one charge—just for whiskey—that's all. When you pay more than we ask for our whiskey you are being taxed for something else besides the whiskey.

Now "WHAT'S THE USE" of you paying an excess to anybody for imaginary superiority—when we have the same goods, but are content through immense volumes of sales, to break even on profits—instead of "hikeing up" the price beyond the point of giving you value received.

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HIS HUNDREDTH YEAR REACHED

Remarkable Celebration by Dr. William M. Starr, of Washington—Is Veteran of Several Wars. Fought Under Jackson.

(Washington Post, Oct. 15.)

Surrounded by friends and well-wishers, Dr. William M. Starr, Washington's oldest inhabitant, was toasted and praised by many of the prominent business men of the city yesterday in honor of his one hundredth birthday. The members of the Oldest Inhabitants' Association of the District of Columbia gathered, at his invitation, at a banquet in an upper room of the Queen Cafe, Seventh and G streets northwest.

"Conservatism is the key to longevity," declared the venerable man, who reached the century-mark yesterday. "There's no secret about it. It lies in stopping just before the limit is reached. When I was young, I never walked or ran as fast as I could. I never ate as much as I could. I always stopped while I had some reserve energy."

Dr. Starr was seated at the end of the long room, between Allison Nailor, president of the Oldest Inhabitants' Association, and ex-president Brown, with every faculty alert.

S. H. Warner Speaks for Host.

"Dr. Starr looked upon a world awaiting achievement when first saw day, in 1807," said Mr. B .H. Warner, who spoke for the venerable host. "The 10-miles-an-hour railroad train and steamship marked the limit of invention, but today his practically unimpaired energies enable him to escape from the path of the 100-miles-an-hour train and rapid automobile."

Mr. Warner read two poems by Dr. Starr, embodying philosophical views of life and of conduct.

Following this, he presented on behalf of the centenarian, a large likeness of Dr. Starr to the Oldest Inhabitants' Association, which was accepted by President Allison Nailor.

In return, the association gave a handsome gold-headed cane, appropriately inscribed to Dr. Starr.

"Not that he needs this cane," declared Mr. Nailor, "but as a souvenir which he may keep until he really becomes old."

William N. Copp read a poem entitled, "The Old House," which referred to the host, and Gen. John M. Wilson and Rev. Wallace Radcliffe addressed the guests.

His Ancestors Lived Long.

Thomas Jefferson was President when at the home of Henry and Sarah (Wagner) Starr, Bull Run, Va., was born a boy, who is now really the oldest inhabitant of the District of Columbia.

All of Dr. Starr's ancestors were renowned for longevity, his father dying at the age of 103, his paternal grandfather at the age of 105, and his grand father at the age of 105 or 104 years. Dr. Starr, however, does not attribute his unusual lease of life in any way to heredity, but to the fact that he has always abstained from excesses, and has lived close to nature.

He fought in the Seminole, Mexican and Civil wars. In 1811 Dr. Starr's father moved to Mahoning county, O., where he lived at the outbreak of the war of 1812. His father served under Jackson at New Orleans. Dr. Starr served under the same general in his campaign against Florida Indians, and was twice wounded.

At the time the war with Mexico was declared Dr. Starr had become a citizen of Wisconsin, and from that State he enlisted. He fought in the artillery and served with Taylor at Matamoras, Buena Vista, Monterey, Resaca de la Palma, and Cerro Gordo.

One of the Forty-Niners.

In the gold rush of 1849 he joined an ox wagon caravan and crossed the plains, made $35,000, and went from there to New Orleans to invest in sugar plantations. There he married Miss Lizzie Day, of that city, in 1857. She died in 1864.

At the outbreak of the Civil War he raised a battalion of 600 men, enlisted in the Confederate army, served at Fort Donelson, Shiloh and Vicksburg, and assisted in repelling Banks' invasion of the Red River country. He was brevetted for meritorious services.

Greatly impoverished by the war, Dr. Starr began the study of botany and medicine when peace was declared and practiced with such success that in 1876 he came to Washington, where he has remained in active practice ever since.

—Kinston, N. C., Oct. 15: R. A. Crawford, a traveling salesman for the Globe Soap Company, headquarters at Greensboro, died in Robert Bruce McDaniel, Memorial hospital here today of typhoid malaria. He is from Toccoa, Ga., and his young wife of a year, and brother, who were by his bedside, when he died, will take the remains there for burial. Mr. Crawford was ill when he struck the city some time ago, and was confined to his room in a hotel of the city until last Friday, when he was removed to the hospital.

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They Can Stop Their Hair Falling Out With Herpicide.

Ladies who have thin hair and whose hair is falling out, can prevent the hair falling out, and thicken the growth, with Newbro's "Herpicide." Besides, Herpicide is one of the most agreeable hair dressings there is. Herpicide kills the dandruff germ that eats the hair off at the root. After the germ is destroyed, the root will shoot up, and the hair grow long as ever. Even a sample will convince any lady that Newbro's Herpicide is an indispensable toilet requisite. It contains no oil or grease, it will not stain or dye. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

Two sizes—50 cents and $1.00.

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Removal Notice

This is to notify my friends and patrons and any others who may be interested, that I have moved my office from 16 Princess St., to the Odd Fellows' Building, Room 15. I have houses, building lots, cemetery lots, farms, timber lands, bank stock, mill stock and mercantile stock from Charleston, W. Va., to Titusville, Fla., For sale, a few good renting propositions. Call and see me at Room 15, Odd Fellows' Building.

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See our Cloaks and Furs before Buying.

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New Plaid Silks, 36 inch wide, $1.00 per yard.

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Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Millinery.

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STATEMENT

Report of the Condition of the SOUTHERN NATIONAL BANK, at the Close of Business, August 22nd, 1907.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 920,609 87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		161 41
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		200,000 00
U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. Deposits		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		9,269 88
Furniture and fixtures		6,530 49
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		160,729 21
Due from State Banks and Bankers		162,034 27
Due from approved reserve agents		63,832 03
Checks and other cash items		10,071 47
Exchanges for clearing house		6,404 11
Notes of other National Banks		12,640 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, and cents		28 25
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	$15,494 96	
Legal tender notes	9,400 00	24,894 96
Due from U. S. Treasurer, other than 5 per cent. redemption fund		7,550 00
Total		$1,624,782 95

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	23,810 91
National Bank notes outstanding	200,000 00
Due to other National Banks	179,093 68
Due to State Banks and Bankers	284 989 48
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	14,555 68
Due to approved reserve agents	71,539 45
Individual deposits subject to check	355,608 43
Cashier's checks outstanding	185 42
United States deposits	50,000 00
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed	145,000 00
Total	$1,624,782 95

State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover.

I, C. N. Evans, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. N. EVANS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of August, 1907.

C. E. TAYLOR, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:

MATT. J. HEYER,
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Directors.

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1200 Sacks Wood Fibre Wall Plaster.
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The Morning Star.

Thursday, October 17, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct 17, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Wednesday, October 16:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 48 degrees; 8 P. M., 58 degrees; maximum, 61 degrees; minimum, 43 degrees; mean, 52 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month. .20 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Tuesday, 1.6 feet.

Forecasts.

For North Carolina—Fair Thursday and Friday; fresh northeast winds on the coast.

Port Calendar—Oct. 17.

Sun Rises .. .. .6:09 A. M.
Sun Sets .. .. .5:23 P. M.
Day's length .. .. .11 hrs. 23 min.
High water at Southport 4:29 A. M.
High water at Wilmington 6:58 A. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Ed Hall, of Charlotte, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Hal Worth, of Greensboro, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. Thomas Boykin, of Clinton, was in the city yesterday a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. W. A. Stilley, of Goldsboro, was in the city yesterday and was registered at The Orton.

—Mr. D. Russell Foster has gone to Winston-Salem, N. C., on a brief business and pleasure trip.

—Among last evening's arrivals at The Orton were Messrs. J. A. Loughlin, of Southport, and James M. Hall, of Roseboro.

—Miss Lillian Vaughan left yesterday morning for Raleigh to attend the State Fair and also to visit friends in Cary, N. C.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Land, three children and nurse, of Chadbourn, were in the city yesterday and were guests at The Orton.

—Miss Atha Hicks has returned from the mountains of Virginia where she has been spending the past Summer.

—Mrs. M. A. Gurganus and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Taylor are among the Wilmington people at the Jamestown Exposition.

—Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McGrew have returned from Sumter, S. C., where they attended the funeral of Mrs. McGrew's mother, Mrs. A. E. Dixon, who passed away during the past week in this city.

—Dr. E. C. Vitou and Messrs. Francis Giddens and Gordon Smith, of Goldsboro, arrived in the city last evening. Dr. Vitou is here on a most pleasant mission. This evening in St. Paul's Episcopal Church he will wed Miss Annie Kay Harper, of this city, and after a brief reception at the home of the bride's father, Captain J. T. Harper, they will leave for a bridal tour North.

BAD RUNAWAY YESTERDAY.

Horses Attached to Brewery Wagon Dashed Down Front Street.

A pair of horses attached to the large delivery wagon of the Home Brewing Company became frightened yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock near the Y. M. C. A. building and dashed madly up Front street at an hour when the thoroughfare was crowded with traffic. It was remarkable that half a dozen vehicles were not smashed by the heavier one as the two fine horses ran with it up the congested street, but not an accident of any kind happened until the horses were near Front and Princess, when a buggy belonging to Mr. Percy Smith and standing in front of a store was knocked all to pieces. The street cars were nearing the junction and the horses were about to take to the sidewalk toward Market street when they were stopped by young Louis Brown, who drives for Warren's Steam Bakery and happened to be in front of the store in time to run out and catch the maddened animals by the bridle and bring them into subjection. The automobile of Mr. Honnet was standing directly in the path of the runaway and would have been undoubtedly smashed all to pieces had not young Brown heroically stopped the team. In recognition of the service of the young man Mr. Honnet yesterday afternoon presented Brown with a very handsome signet ring.

Small Fire Yesterday.

Fire which originated from a defective flue, caused a damage of $25 to the dwelling. No. 615 Queen street, owned by Mr. W. W. King, and occupied by Mr. Van Sellars, yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock. An alarm was sent in from box 52 and the firemen were promptly on the scene.

Golf Links Saturday.

There will be another mixed foursome, similar to the one last week, on the grounds of the Cape Fear Golf Club Saturday afternoon. The attendance is expected to be quite large and the play very interesting.

NOTICE.

Special Schedule on Suburban Line Today.

Cars to Beach operated via 10th street after 10 A. M.

Cars will leave Front and Princess streets at 10 A. M., 11:30 A. M., 1:00 P. M., 5:00 P. M., 7:00 P. M., 9:00 P. M., 11:00 P. M.

Cars leave Beach at 10:45 A. M., 12:15 A. M., 2:15 P. M., 4:15 P. M., 6:15 P. M., 8:15 P. M., 10:15 P. M.

Regular city cars will turn back at 9th and Princess streets. Passengers will transfer at this point Front and Princess streets. **

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LOCAL DOTS.

—A new heating plant is being installed at the Court House. The work is being done under the direction of Chairman Vollers of the Public Building Committee of the Board of County Commissioners.

—Mr. William Hull Moore, lately with the Consolidated Company, has accepted the position of teller in the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company to succeed Mr. Spears Hicks, who has accepted the position of cashier of the Bank of Whiteville.

—The British steamer Cardigan, Captain Davis, cleared yesterday for Liverpool with cargo of 14,625 bales of cotton, consigned by Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son. This is the eighth cargo from Wilmington this season. It is valued at $950,600.

—At the quarterly meeting of the Associated Charities on Tuesday, the Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor of Bladen Street M. E. Church, was elected to membership on the board, vice Rev. C. R. W. Kegley, who resigned on account of his leaving the city to accept the call at Bluefield, W. Va.

—The clock which was formerly displayed on the small ticket office of the Consolidated Company at Front and Princess streets, will be suspended on the wall of the transportation offices of the company now located on the second floor of the building occupied by the Junction Restaurant and Tienken's barber shop.

—The directors of the Wilmington Savings and Trust Company have declared an extra dividend of ten per cent. on the capital stock. This will make 16 per cent. paid this year to stockholders which is believed to be excelled by no other institution of its kind in the State.

—The Fayetteville Observer of Tuesday afternoon says: "Among the advance guard of distinguished men here to greet Mr. Bryan who arrived last night, were Hon. Ashley Horne, candidate for Governor, Hon. Geo. H. Bellamy, probable candidate for Congress; and Professor J. B. Carlyle, president of Wake Forest."

—Light frosts were again reported yesterday morning at Wilmington, Cheraw, Goldsboro, Lumberton and a killing frost at Weldon. There were also light to heavy frosts in the Savannah, Charleston and Atlanta districts. Temperatures ranged somewhat higher and much less frost was reported than on the day before.

—The Rev. Dr. D. K. Lilly, of Winston-Salem, was heard by a large congregation last night at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church under the auspices of the brotherhood of that congregation. Tonight Dr. Lilly will speak to the Brotherhood of the First Presbyterian Church in Abbie Chadbourn Memorial Hall.

THIRTY-EIGHT LIVES LOST.

Terrible Result of Explosion of Dupont Powder Works.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Fontainet, Ind., October 16.—Tihrty-eight lives snuffed out, six hundred persons injured, of which number fifty were seriously hurt, and a property loss of approximately $750,000 is the latest estimate of the destruction wrought by the explosion at the Dupont Powder mills yesterday morning. From a workman employed in the glazing mills, it was learned today that a "hot box" from which sparks were transmitted to some loose powder, was in all probability the cause of the catastrophe. The employe, whose name is William Sherrow, and who is dangerously hurt as the result of the explosion, said:

"The explosion of yesterday in which so many lives were lost, was caused by loose boxing on the shaft. The day before this terrible explosion happened we had to throw water on it when it became too hot. This time it got too hot and sent off the sparks that caused the explosion."

Another company of State militia arrived from Indianapolis this evening and immediately went into camp. The town is now under martial law, the companies of State troops being in full control.

Coroner Leavitt, of Vigo county, spent the entire day investigating the cause of the accident. The coroner declares it is his opinion that not more than thirty men were were at work at the time the explosion occurred. He said that in an explosion of such intensity, it was probable that a number of persons might be blown to atoms and their bodies may never be recovered.

The injured at this place and Terre Haute are getting along nicely, and it is thought no more deaths will occur.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 16.—Alfred I. Dupont, vice president of the Dupont Powder Company, who was married to Mrs. Alicia Bradford Maddox, in New York yesterday, and who intended to take a long motoring trip as his honeymoon, was informed of the explosion at Fontainet immediately after the wedding. Mr. Dupont at once cancelled his intended trip and wired $5,000 to Governor Hanley, of Indiana, for the immediate relief of the sufferers. He authorized the governor to use any amount in excess of this $5,000 if he finds it necessary. Mr. Dupont left today for Fontanet to personally supervise the work there.

He was accompanied by Frank L. Connable, the general manager of the Dupont Company in Wilmington.

AFFINITIES BOTH CRAZY.

New York Alienists Pass On Walenta. Bauer Case.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—Kinks county hospital physicians having declared both Rev. Maxwell Walenta, pastor of St. Lucas German Evangelical Lutheran Church, of Williamsburg, and Mrs. Dora Bauer, "his affinity," insane, the couple were discharged in police court today. Mrs. Bauer, who is the wife of Louis A. Bauer, an electrotyper, and the minister, were arrested a few days ago charged with offending public decency and were committed to have their sanity inquired into as they had declared themselves to be "soul mates." Relatives took them in charge upon their release.

DISSOLUTION OF OIL TRUST

Standard Oil Company Will Fight Government Hard.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—Council for the Standard Oil Company have prepared an elaborate defense in the government's suit for dissolution of the oil combine, which they say will be developed in its entirety when the government's attorneys have concluded their testimony. The Standard's lawyers said today that they had not sought to adduce testimony on cross-examination of officials and employes of the so-called oil trust which would refute the allegations made in the Federal complaint but had deferred bringing out much evidence until later when it could be produced continuously, and in bulk. No intimation was given of the nature of the testimony, which counsel for the Standard said would be brought out. A telegram was sent to William G. Rockefeller assistant treasurer of the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, last night by counsel of the Standard, that the government desired him as a witness before the adjournment is taken on next Friday for a month.

Frank B. Kellogg, counsel for the United States, spent the entire day in placing on the records statements submitted by several witnesses showing the profits made by the Standard in various localities of the country. Statements were laso produced showing that the Standard not only secured information concerning competitive shipments in the United States but in foreign countries.

HANGING FOR NEWSPAPER MEN.

Dr. Andrews Denounces Misrepresentation of Public Officials.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, Oct. 16.—President Benjamin Andrews, of the University of Nebraska, in addressing the Fall convocation of the George Washington University here today, bitterly denounced what he termed malicious and wilful misrepresentation of the acts of public or prominent men by the press. Hanging, he said, should be the punishment meted out to a proved libeler. "None of the business villainies alleged to be so rife," he continued, "can compare in atrocity with these squalid campaigns of libel and libelous caricature which recent months have produced."

Dr. Andrews said he did not care for the rich as such, but that the pride, idleness and doubtful practices of a few rich are no just cause for putting all rich in the pillory. He contended that high prices of commodities were attributable to the tolerance of the public rather than to monopolistic tendencies.

FISH-HARRIMAN CONTROVERSY.

Illinois Central Stockholders Did Nothing Yesterday.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 16.—The meeting of the Illinois Central stockholders, which was called at noon today, was finally adjourned in the afternoon until 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. No vote on the directors was taken and it is possible that none will be reached before late tomorrow. It is generally expected, however, that the early session will see the new directorate established.

The delay was caused by the inability of three election inspectiors who were appointed to act as a committee on credentials in considering the proxies, to finish their work. The adjournment was taken, after an earnest tilt between William Nelson Cromwell, Mr. Harriman's leading counsel, and James A. Patten, a prominent member of the Chicago Board of Trade.

RUSSIA'S TERRORIST RECORD

Murders Numbered 207 and 34 Person Were Executed.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

St. Petersburg, Oct. 16.—The police statistics published today regarding terrorism during the month of September, show that 34 persons were executed, that 207, including 73 officials, were murdered and that 172 people were wounded in various affrays. The figures do not include the casualties in the anti-Jewish riots at Odessa, Rostova and Simferpol.

The police also report 165 attacks made by armed men on estates, buildings or representatives of the authorities, and the discovery of thirty-four stores of bombs and explosives.

ATTEMPT TO EXTORT $20,000.

Woman and Two Men Arrested for Threatening Mine Manager.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Lead, S. D., Oct. 16.—An attempt to extort $20,000 from J. Grier, manager of a gold mine, under threat of dynamiting his home unless the money was placed in a designated place, was frustrated last night by the arrest of the alleged blackmailers, one of whom is a woman. The demand for money and the threat were made in an anonymous letter. The missive asked that the money be put in an envelope and placed at a certain place. Grier reported to the police and a decoy letter was left as directed, the woman, Mrs. Anna Maljas, was arrested by concealed policemen as she took the letter, and her husband, and Matt Seimbola were later taken into custody. Grier's house is one of the finest in South Dakota.

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This week we will have for special offering:

Children's Trimmed Hats, all colors, trimmed with ribbon or silk bows, ponpon tips or wings, $1.75 to $3.98.

Child's Rolling Brim Sailors with ribbon bands and streamers, all colors 50c. to $1.50.

Misses' School Hats, with scarf, all colors, 98c to $2.50.

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors in silk and velvet, broad bows, all colors at $2.50.

Ladies' ready-to-wear Hats, all colors and shapes, all the novelties, 50c up to $2.98.

Ladies' Trimmed Hats, the vacation shapes, trimmed, silk, velvet and roses, all the new shades, at $5.98.

Large Trimmed Hats, drooping effect, very stylish, long plumes or fluffy feather trimming, at $9.50.

Medium shapes, droop effect, made of silk and velvet, trimmed with morning glories and ornaments, the newest styles, at $8.98.

CLOAKS AND FURS.

Children's Red Box Coats, 3 to 6 years at $2.50.

Children's Bearskin Coats, red, gray, navy, brown and white sizes, 2 to 6 years, $3.50 to $5.00.

Misses' School Coats of mixed Kersey, sizes 8 to 14 years, $2.50 to $5.98.

Furs and Neck Pieces, $1.25 to $45.00.

Muff to match Neck Pieces, $2.50 to $25.00.

Babies' Long White Coats, 98c to $3.75.

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for children is the only sensible shoe a child ought to wear; it has a wide broad toe and will not cripple their little feet. Phone us your number. We will send the size you need. Also the Buster Brown School Shoe, the shoe that outwears all other makes.

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Boy's Suit with TWO PAIR OF PANTS; this is what every boy wants to be dressed right, one pair of Knickerbockers and one straight pair for the small sum of $4.00.

Boys' Pants—Our line is complete. Just arrived, a lot of Blue Serges and Fancy Worsteds, sizes from 3 to 17 for 50 to $1.50 a pair.

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Our stock is now complete. Men's Suits in all sizes, in stouts, slims, single and double breasted. A beautiful line of Black Thibets, Unfinished Worsteds and Granites; prices ranging from $10.00 to $25.00.

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Brown effects, neat Stripes and Checks, Hard Finished Worsteds, an ideal business Suit, price $15.00.

Every Suit is displayed on our new display racks, which makes it easy to inspect our line.

Men's Pants.—Have just received a consignment of Sweet Orr & Co.'s Union-Made and Schloss-Make Trousers; a complete assortment of patterns, ranging up to $7.50 a pair.

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STORM DISASTER IN EUROPE

Many Lives Lost and Millions of Property Destroyed.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Paris, Oct. 16.—The whole of Southern Europe is in the grasp of a tremendous storm accompanied by torrential rains. This, coming on the heels of the unprecedented rain falls and succession of floods of the past three weeks is causing very great distress. The storm area extends from Morocco northward over Portugal, Spain and southern France. Warships off the African coast and the Spanish peninsula have been obliged to seek shelter. The French torpedo boat Cassini lost her propeller while making port during the gale.

The village of Olet, near Barcelona, Spain, was literally washed away by a cloud burst and the river Leobregat just south of Barcelona, is described as being a raging torrent and is constantly claiming new victims.

The city of St. Sebastian in the north of Spain has been ravaged by a violent hurricane, which tore up trees and telegraph poles, blocked the railroad tracks and stalled many trains. Telegraphic communication between Madrid and Sebastian is interrupted.

The recently flooded rivers in the south of France are again rising and many houses, weakened by the previous inundations are falling.

In the department of Savoie a great overhanging cliff of 800,000 cubic metres is reported to be moving and in imminent danger of toppling over and crushing the village of Tormery, 1,000 feet below.

A dispatch from Brest says that a tempest is raging off the coast and that several fishing smacks have been capsized and their crews drowned. Hufricanes have completed the work of the floods and in many places railroads communication is at a complete standstill.

Barcelona, Oct. 16.—The total of the damages in this region resulting from the floods is estimated at $16,000,00. In the Manresa district alone, 71 factories have been destoryed, involving $1,000,000. The owners of these factories have asked the government to help them get a loan from the bank of Spain for purposes of reconstruction.

SUNDAY THEATRES PROSECUTED

Kansas City Judge Has 19 Managers Indicted.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 16.—A grand jury in the criminal court here today returned 19 indictments against managers of Kansas City theatres for keeping their places of amusement open on Sundays. The indictments had been asked by Judge William H. Wallace, who gave notice two weeks ago that he intended enforcing the Sunday closing law. The theatrical managers had secured a temporary injunction restraining the closing of their places. Warrants will be served and the managers brought to trial.

WHISKEY PRICE ADVANCES.

Now Higher Than at Any Time Since Civil War.

(By Wire to the Morning Star).

Cincinnati, Oct. 16.—The wholesale price of spirits was advanced one cent a gallon here today. The advance brings the basis price of a proof gallon of spirits up to $1.03 a gallon, minus the revenue duty. The price is the highest reached since the Civil War, and is due to the high price of corn and malt.

Character In the Eyebrows.

An arched eyebrow does not indicate the highest order of intelligence, but is expressive of great sensibility. Scant growth of the eyebrows denotes lack of vitality. On the contrary, heavy, thick eyebrows indicate a strong constitution and great physical endurance. They are not beautiful on a woman's face, however much they may signify either mental or bodily vigor, and when they are not only heavy, but droop and meet at the nose, they are disagreeable and are said to accompany an insincere and prying nature. Long, drooping eyebrows, lying wide apart, indicate an amiable disposition. Where the eyebrows are lighter in color than the hair the indications are lack of vitality and great sensitiveness.

Faintly defined eyebrows placed high above the nose are signs of indolence and weakness. Very black eyebrows give the face an intense and searching expression. When natural, they accompany a passionate temperament. Very light eyebrows rarely are seen on strongly intellectual faces, although the color of the eyebrows is not accepted simply as denoting lack of intelligence. The form gives the key to the faculties and their direction. Red eyebrows denote great fervor and ambition; brown, a medium between the red and black.—Exchange.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over 60 years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhoea. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by Druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, and take no other.

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Hard Times in Kansas.

The old days of grasshoppers and drought are almost forgotten in the prosperous Kansas of today; although a citizen of Codell, Early Shamburg, has not yet forgotten a hard time he encountered. He says: "I was worn out and discouraged by coughing night and day, and could find no relief till I tried Dr. King's New Discovery. It took less than one bottle to completely cure me." The safest and most reliable cough and cold cure and lung and throat healer ever discovered. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy's drug store 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free.

A Maid and a Method.

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He finally managed to get his cigar to working satisfactorily and stretched himself comfortably on the grass.

She leaned back against the tree trunk and watched a squirrel on a neighboring branch.

Harrington noticed that she seemed to have entirely forgotten his presence unless there was merely a comfortable consciousness of the fact that he was there if she needed him.

"When you have satisfactorily examined the trees, the squirrel, the water falling over those stones and have formed your opinion concerning the entrancing horizon," he said in a slightly injured tone, "wouldn't you like to talk to me some?"

She took off her hat and laid it on the grass beside her with a sigh of satisfaction.

"None of those things is more interesting to me, Diogenes, than the study of you, I assure you."

"Sometimes I almost conclude that I positively dislike you," he said amiably, taking long puffs at his cigar. "I never cared much for women, but in this case there is a stronger element. I believe it almost approaches dislike."

She wriggled her blond head into a more comfortable pose against the tree trunk and beamed upon him as if he had said something truly gratifying.

"It's an achievement, Diogenes, to have inspired you with a strong feeling of any description."

"You have such a confounded way of pouncing upon a fellow's thoughts and holding them up to ridicule. You can analyze a man as easily as a chemist can analyze a patent medicine. Didn't you know, Miss Burton, that women ought to make themselves—er—attractive? It's uncanny for them to go in for psychology, analysis and—er—vivisection."

"Attractive? Oh, Diogenes, you are woefully lacking in manners! I was taking solid comfort and content in the belief that the powers that be had made me attractive and was amusing myself with your so called vivisection merely as a side issue. I see, my dear philosopher, that you are not fitted for the gentle ways of polite society. If it didn't sound slangy I'd say, 'Back to your tub!' It was a tub that Diogenes enjoyed so thoroughly, wasn't it?"

He was by degrees working himself into an exceedingly bad temper.

"Miss Burton, do you know that blond women have always enjoyed the reputation of being fools—more or less?" he asked scathingly.

"All of which leads to?" she interrogated, with elaborate innocence.

"The fact that it's time you decided whether you are going to marry that idiot Darrell or me. We've both been dangling around you the whole summer."

"Your climaxes are strong," she smiled admiringly. "That idiot Darrell or—you? Don't you recognize a certain similarity to Pope in the way you construct your sentences?"

"It's impossible to make a climax after Darrell," he snorted. "It would be an impossibility to find a bigger idiot to name after him."

"Everything, my dear man, depends upon the point of view." She pinned on her hat and turned toward the path leading to the hotel.

That afternoon Harrington lay half asleep, his new magazine over his face, in the shade of the bushes that grew back of the summer house.

"Virginia, you are acting shamefully." He heard Darrell's voice.

So he called her Virginia, did he? And she allowed it!

Virginia evidently enjoyed the idea of acting shamefully, for he heard a little ripple of merriment.

"But, you know, Jack, he really does need some of the conceit taken out of him—women have spoiled him so."

"I think you have tormented him enough," Darrell insisted, "and you have carried on with me outrageously. I feel party to a fraud. You can't keep it up much longer, for when Eleanor comes next week he will soon find out that I've been engaged to your sister all along. Why not put him out of his misery? You know you like him."

"Of course I do, and I'm going to marry him, but he needs a little training first."

Darrell rose and started toward the house. "I'm going to finish my letter to Eleanor," he said. "I'll leave you here to finish your book. Shall I tell Eleanor that we'll make it a double wedding in November?"

Virginia evidently took time to meditate.

"I think he'll make an awfully handsome bridegroom," she said softly.

Darrell laughed delightedly.

"First time I ever saw you with a real attack, Virginia. I don't see, to save my soul, how he's failed to find out that you care. But, as for handsome bridegrooms, I'll have you remember that I'll be there myself." And he walked down the path whistling.

Harrington sat up, let his magazine fall unnoticed to the ground and brushed his coat carefully.

His gray eyes were twinkling as he crept into the summer house.

He caught the startled girl in his arms. "A man has a perfect right to kiss the girl he's going to marry in November. I'm so glad you acknowledge that I'll look picturesque at the wedding."

Virginia's face tried to adjust itself to an indignant expression.

"You wretch, you heard what I said!" she gasped.

Harrington held her fast and lifted her face until her eyes looked into his.

"Just so—exactly so—and nothing has ever added so much to my conceit, Virginia, mine."

ALEXANDER BUNN.

Haldane's Girl.

By NELLIE CRAVEY GILLMORE.

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Haldane whistled merrily as he tossed the onyx paperweight aside, slammed books and papers into drawers regardless and closed his desk with such a brisk snap that the man in the next office looked up in surprise. Surely something was "in the wind." Haldane had never before been so buoyant, so triumphant.

Just ten minutes earlier the office boy had laid a fragrant, cream colored envelope at his elbow containing a few hasty lines, which read as follows:

Dear Dick—Cannot you run down this afternoon and help us out with some tableaux? There's to be a mock wedding, too—Chinese—and we have picked you out for the bridegroom. If you can come, come; if not, phone. Hastily yours,

THEODORA.

Haldane jerked out his watch impatiently, fumed at the whole hour that must elapse before he could get a Sunny Villa car and set to work jamming things into a hand satchel—his kodak, the latest magazine, an extra pair of gloves and a box of bonbons—for Theodora. Then he telephoned to his "man" about his suit case and as leisurely as his exuberance would allow him closed and locked his office door and sauntered across the hall to a fellow colleague's office.

The door stood ajar, and the room was quite deserted, but Haldane, with the ease of a long intimacy, sat down in Trescott's revolving chair and began to finger the latter's pencils.

After a time he glanced up with a smile directly into the shadowed brown eyes of a girl whose face was startlingly familiar, his girl. He looked from the picture to the door, then back again to the picture. His cheeks whitened; his face indexed a variety of painful emotions. Even a casual observer might have detected that he had been struck hard. He reached up a trembling hand and drew the photograph toward him. Scrawled across

"CONGRATULATE ME!"

the back of it in Theodora's unmistakable backward characters were the words:

"To my beloved Bert, from his own T. H. L."

Theodora Hartwell Lancaster! There was no way out of it. These were the initials he had had engraved in their betrothal ring. What a fool he had been, and Trescott—the perfidious wretch! Of the girl he dare not think—not now.

After a miserable minute that seemed more like an hour he laid the picture down on the desk and with dumb despair in his heart sat regarding the cardboard stupidly.

Suddenly Trescott interrupted his daze, swinging breezily into the room and tossing his hat on a table in the corner.

"Hello!" he cried. "What's the trouble? You look green."

Haldane stared gloomily at the opposite wall and did his level best to speak. But his lips remained mute; the color seemed squeezed out of them. Trescott came up to him and laid an affectionate hand on his shoulder.

"Anything gone wrong, old man?" he asked, concerned genuinely at the other's silence.

Haldane squirmed away from his touch, his eyes flashing. "Lord," he thought, "if I can just get out of this without smashing his face!"

He lifted his eyes savagely.

"I've had some unexpected trouble, and I'd prefer not to discuss it at present."

His words were stiff, colorless.

Trescott contemplated him a moment in bewilderment. Then he smiled, shrugged and turned away. He recognized the symptoms plainly enough now and knew just how to deal with the patient.

There was a constrained stress of silence. Trescott had gone to an open window, but he came back and stood looking down at Haldane's sphinx-like form with sympathetic mien. He glanced down at the desk where the other had laid the girl's photograph. After a pause he bent and took it up, restoring it to its conspicuous stronghold on the top of his desk. Haldane watched him in ominous silence, his fingers tingling pugnaciously as Trescott paused to cast a fatuous smile into the girl's—his girl's—pictured face.

"Pretty girl, that, don't you think?" he asked carelessly.

"Quite pretty," acquiesced Haldane, glowering through the window. "Good friend of yours?" He held back the sneer by an effort.

"Oh, the very best. Theo's the dearest little girl ever. We simply adore each other."

Haldane shot up electrically and started toward the door, pulling out his watch with a prodigious assumption of alarm.

"By George," he exclaimed, "I've almost missed an important appointment!"

His quick steps sounded down the polished corridor, and Trescott sat down in the vacated chair before his desk, shaking his head and smiling indulgently at the recollection of the other's explosiveness. He gave him, mentally, about ten days to recuperate.

It was more than a month before Haldane encountered Bert Trescott again. The latter came into his office late in the afternoon with the luminous announcement of his approaching happiness.

"I am to be married on the 23d of June," he said. "Congratulate me!"

And, despite the fact that Haldane had fancied himself "done with the whole blamed business," he was acutely conscious of his vanishing color as he answered:

"Of course I congratulate you. You are just the sort of fellow girls go crazy over, and as for Theodora"—

"Theodora! Don't talk drivel, man. What on earth are you driving at?"

"Why, about the girl, of course, the girl you are going to marry."

Trescott frowned.

"You are way off," he said. "My girl is Miss Elise Harriman. Why, I've never even had a flirtation with any one of the name of The"—

"Notwithstanding that a month ago you were adoring each other," said Haldane, with an imperceptible lift of his eyebrows.

Trescott's mouth opened with astonishment; then all at once light broke across his brain, and he laughed immoderately.

"Oh, she's all right!" he cried. "Nothing the matter with that little girl. She's everything that could be asked or desired. But, much as I 'adore' Theo, it isn't likely that I'm in for marrying my own niece."

Haldane flushed furiously, gripping the arms of his chair to keep from reeling. The world swam black about him. He had gone and made of himself an everlasting fool, he thought chaotically. And doubtless now he had lost her for good. A mad longing possessed him to kick himself black and blue on the spot, but prudence forbade, and as soon as he could decently and gracefully do so he got clear of Trescott and set himself to write a lengthy explanation of his conduct to Theodora, begging on his knees in every known term for her pardon.

In due time came a reply. Haldane broke the seal in some trepidation. One could never tell about a woman. His recent experience had left him cynical. Why, by this time she might even be—somebody else's girl! What he read was:

Dear Dick—Considering the circumstances, I presume I shall have to overlook everything. However, I think you might have had the grace to investigate, don't you? Yes, we are planning to have a second installment of tableaux, and the position I spoke of is still open to you. Let us know when to expect you. As ever,

THEODORA.

He answered:

Dearest Girl—I shall be delighted to officiate under one condition—the next time I must be permitted to choose the bride, and I'd rather have the wedding along American lines. Is it a go? Devotedly,

DICK.

It is not recorded what Theodora wrote back.

However, Haldane went.

Two Odd Blunders.

There stands in Westminster abbey, London, a splendid monument of Cromwell in riding attire. The spurs which adorn his high boots are upside down, showing that while the man who created the statue was an expert in this line he was totally unfamiliar with the art of riding. These reversed spurs are not always noticed by visitors, but those who know about them find them one of the most interesting features of the monument. One of the famous swords wielded by that warrior, the Black Prince, is to be seen in a window in the same building. It is a painted window on the landing leading from the floor of the palace to the committee rooms above. On the weapon held in the hands of the prince may be read an inscription in which the words "Prince of Whales" figure prominently.

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FOR SALE—Pea Vine and crab grass hay by the ton or car load, delivered in the city. Owen Martindale, Phone 857 call 1. oct 16 4t

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	No. 45	No. 39
Lv. Wilm't'n..	4:00 A. M.	4:00 P. M.
Ar Lumb't'n..	6:35 A. M.	6:56 P. M.
Ar Maxton ..	7:25 A. M.	7:55 P. M.
Ar. Hamlet ..	8:25 A. M.	8:50 P. M.
Lv. Hamlet ..	8:45 A. M.	9:15 P. M.
Ar. Monroe ..	10:50 A. M.	11:15 P. M.
Ar. Ch'lotte'	11:45 A. M.	12:15 A. M.
Lv. Ch'lotte ..	5:00 P. M.	10:00 A. M.
Ar. Ruth'f'd'n.	9:00 P. M.	1:42 P. M.

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—Spencer, Oct. 14: At Palmersville, stanly county, Sunday afternoon, Tom Hunt accidentally shot and killed Amos Lilly, another negro. The shooting appears to have been the result of carelessness, as the pistol fell out of Hunt's pocket and the ball passed through the thigh of Lilly, making only a flesh wound. But the strange thing about it is that Lilly died in about an hour. The killing was investigated by the county coroner and Hunt was turned loose.

—Wadesboro Ansonian: Friday evening two men with a wagon load of whiskey in bottles, jugs and kegs, over which they had a lot of wheat straw, had quite an exciting time near the home of Mr. Arthur Hildreth, who lives about three miles from town on the Dumas Ferry road. Both men were drinking freely and when one lit his pipe, he fired the straw, causing the bottles and jugs to crack and spill the whiskey. The entire front of the wagon body was burned before the fire could be extinguished. One noticeable feature about it all was that the whiskey failed to ignite, notwithstanding the fierce heat to which it was subjected.

—Greensboro, Oct. 15: Yesterday morning near White Oak, Bob Potter, a negro barber, was shot in his shop by George Troxler, colored. Thoxler came to the shop where Potter was attending to customers and became so boisterous and troublesome, Potter ordered him out and finally had to put him out. In half an hour Troxler reappeared and with an old shot gun stood in the door and poured a load of shot into Potter's legs. Deliberately loading the old gun Troxler proceeded to fire another load into the prostrate man, left and has not yet been caught. Strange to say, Potter although filled with small bird shot is not thought to be dangerously hurt. It was a sorry gun.

—In the Federal Court at Greensboro on Tuesday, Percy Fonveille, charged with being the accomplice of Franc H. Jones in misappropriating funds of the Charlotte National Bank, was acquitted. Fonveille conducted the bucket shop at which Jones gambled in futures with the bank's money, but Judge Boyd ruled that it must be shown that Jones wilfully abstracted the bank's funds and made false entries and that Fonveille actually aided and abetted him. Because Franc Jones the chief witness in the Fonveille case, had been convicted of a crime founded upon fraud, falsehood and deceit, he was barred from giving his testimony. This left little evidence against Fonveille.

—Durham, N. C., Oct., 15: Thomas Whitaker, a painter, was found in a dying condition at a livery stable on Parish streeet yesterday and he died last night. Those who attended him say that he practically froze to death, Whitaker had been drinking and went to the stable late Saturday night. The whiskey in him died out and as he was exposed and had no covering his blood stopped circulating and when he was found yesterday morning at 8 o'clock he was in a dying condition. Physicians tried to start up his circulation, but this could not be done and he died early last evening. Mr. Whitaker was 45 years of age and had lived in Durham for a number of years.

—Charlotte News: A report sent out a few days ago from Salisbury states that committees representing the Whitney Development Company have just visited High Point, Greensboro and other towns in the interest of the Whitney Company. That company proposes to furnish electricity to run the cotton mills and manufactories of the string of manufacturing towns in that vicinity: Thomasville, Lexington, High Point, and other towns. It is stated that soon the Whitney people will have about 45,000 electrical horse-power available for distribution. It would be hard to estimate the full meaning of this source of power to the section which will be affected. Old and established industries will contract for electrical power and new enterprises will spring up rapidly, because of the cheapness of the power available. The Whitney Company will mean to that section what the Southern Power Company does to this.

—Greensboro, Oct. 15: Last night about 8 o'clock a crowd of boys were scuffling at White Oak near the Buffalo bridge on Summit Avenue, when they became angry and one of the number, Cyrus Alexander, drew his knife and cut a terrible gash in Vance Wyrick's throat, the knife cutting a part of his windpipe. The cause of the trouble could not be learned, more than that the scuffle ended in a free for all fight in which more than the two above mentioned were concerned. Wyrick was removed to the store on the avenue a short distance from the scene of the fight, and Dr. G. W. Kernodle was hastily summoned. He found the boy in a very serious condition and somewhat weakened from the loss of blood. He hastily drew the wound together and after a short while had the patient in an easy condition. It is not thought that the cutting will result fatally, unless inflammation and complications develop.

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At the close of business October 1st, 1907.
RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	$2,100,519 60
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00
Bank Building	25,000 00
Cash	942,318 21
	$3,417,837 81

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 500,000 00
Surplus and Net Profits	239,195 69
Circulation	300,000 00
Deposits	2,278,642 12
U. S. Bond Account	100,000 00
	$3,417,837 81

DEPOSITS
October 1st, 1905, $1,763,509 62
October 1st, 1906, $2,041,773 43
October 1st, 1907, $2,278,642 12
oc 5-tf

SPECIAL RATES TO RALEIGH, ACCOUNT STATE FAIR, OCTOBER 14TH-19TH, 1907, VIA SEABOARD.

One first-class fare plus 25 cents, using rates effective prior to July 1st, 1907, plus 50 cents for one admission to grounds, from points in North Carolina. From points outside of North Carolina 50 cents for admission coupon to grounds is not added. Children over five and under twelve half fare.

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NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48.	No. 42.
Lv. Wilmington	9.40 am	7.00 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	12:50 pm	9:55 pm
Ar. Rocky Mount	3:55 pm	11:40 pm
Ar. Weldon	4:55 pm	3:42 pm
Ar. Norfolk	8 25 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Wilson	1:58 pm	10:52 pm
Ar. Petersburg	7:05 pm	5:42 am
Ar. Richmond	8:00 pm	6:25 am
Ar. Washington	11:50 pm	10:05 am
Ar. Baltimore	1:43 am	11:20 am
Ar. Philadelphia	4:25 am	1:41 pm
Ar. New York	7:23 am	4:15 pm

SOUTHBOUND.

	No. 41.	No. 49.
Lv. New York	9:25 am	9:25 pm
Ar. Philadelphia	11:55 am	12:15 am
Ar. Baltimore	2:15 pm	2:46 am
Ar Washington	3:45 pm	4:20 am
Ar. Norfolk	6:10 pm	8:30 am
Lv. Richmond	7:25 pm	8:15 am
Ar. Petersburg	8:05 pm	9:03 am
Ar. Weldon	9:57 pm	11:28 am
Ar. Rocky Mount	11:03 pm	12:55 pm
Ar. Wilson	11:46 pm	1:53 pm
Ar. Goldsboro	6.15 am	3.12 pm
Ar. Wilmington	9.35 am	6.10 pm

BETWEEN ILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Wil't'n	5:15 am	3:35 pm	7:00 pm
Ar. Flor.	9:05 am	7:30 pm	4:30 am
Ar. Col'bia	12:25 pm	11:10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'st'n	1:10 pm	11:37 pm	7:30 am
Ar. Sav'n'h	6:45 pm	2:45 am	9:54 am
Ar. J'k'ville		9:00 am	2:20 pm
Ar. Tampa		7:15 pm	11:00 pm

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily.	Daily.
Lv. Tampa	9:00 pm	10:20 am
Lv. Jacksonville	9:30 am	7:35 pm
Ar. Savannah	1:41 pm	11:59 am
Lv. Charleston	5:57 pm	5 20 am
Lv. Columbia	4:30 pm	6:00 am
Ar. Florence	7:34 pm	8:55 am
Ar. Wilmington	1:10 am	1:20 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	Westbound. Daily.	Eastbound. Daily.
Lv. Wilmington	8:40 am	Ar. 8:15 pm
Lv. Fayetteville	12:10 pm	Ar. 4:55 pm
Ar. Sanford	1:40 pm	Lv. 3:40 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEW BERN.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

	Northbound.	Southbound.
Lv. Wilmington	3:20 pm	1:00 pm
Ar. Newbern	7:00 pm	Lv 9:35 am

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 16.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, 51 3-4 cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady $3.85 per barrel of 280 pounds.

TAR—Firm $2.30.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm $2.75 per barrel for hard, $4.00 for dip and $4.00 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm 65 1-4c; rosin, firm $3.65; tar, firm $2.20; crude turpentine, $3.25, $4.50; $4.50.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 63
Rosin 348
Tar 82
Crude Turpentine 80

Receipts—Same day last year, 40 casks spirits turpentine; 292 barrels rosin; 49 barrels tar; 54 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11 3-16 cents for middling.

Same day last year—Firm 10 3-4 cents for middling.

Receipts—4,295 bales; same day last year, 2,089 bales.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.40; extra prime, $1.50; fancy, $1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1, $1.15; fancy, $1.20@$1.25; Spanish, $1.50@$1.60.

CORN—Firm, 80@82 1-2 per bushel for white; 78@80 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams, 18c per pound; shoulders 13@14c; sides, dull, 13@14.

EGGS—Firm, 25c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm at 15@30c for small; growns, dull 35c.

BEESWAX—Firm at 27 to 28.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per ver pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 3 1-2 per pound on foot.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Out of season.

TURKEYS—Out of season.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—There were a number of quick transformations in the stock market today, which proved exceedingly unsettling to sentiment. The squall which struck the market about 2 o'clock represented a complete reversal of the form of the first hour, when there was a general feeling of relief and growing confidence that the market had righted itself and placed most of its troubles behind it. It was believed that some of the stocks which were bought yesterday for support of prices were being re-sold to the shorts. London turned buyer here and this helped to lower the foreign exchange rate. There were also some acceptancs reported of American finance bills by London which was a source of relief to the local money market. Call money was firmer in tone, however, and loaned at 5 per cent., partly in connection with the flurry in the stock market. Liquidation of collateral in loans played a part in the weakness there. Southern Pacific was among the first stocks to break away from the early upward tendency and the reiteration of reports that proof had been obtained against the company accounted for its weakness. The weakness of the copper stocks was aggravated by the assurance felt that the dividend on Amalgamated Copper will be cut at the meeting tomorrow.

The late rally in the market was accompanied by reports that arrangements had been made to tide over the troubles of the group of capitalists whose affairs had become involved and whose contortions are believed to be largely responsible for the recent peculiar operations in the curb markets.

Bonds were weak Total sales, par value, $2,008,000. United States 2's and the 4's registered declined 1-4 per cent. on call. Total sales stocks today were 1,024,900 shares.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—The cotton market was very nervous and irregular today, the feature being the flurry in the December option which sold nearly 40 points above January. The close was firmer on the near positions, which were 13 to 23 points net higher, and later months which were net unchanged to 11 points lower. Sales were estimated at 225,000 bales.

The opening was steady at a decline of 2 points to an advance of 2 points, the gains being on the near positions which were influenced by higher cables, while later months felt the effect of more favorable weather reports from the South. Immediately after the opening the general list showed a net loss of 2 to 3 points, but quickly rallied on Liverpool buying and bull support, following private cabes from Liverpool which claimed that the Russian crop had been destroyed by frost. After selling up to a net advance of 9 to 11 points, the market eased off to last night's figures, but advanced sharply during the afternoon on aggressive support of December by the leading bulls and covering. December sold up to 11.25 or 25 points net higher, while later months showed a net gain of 8 to 11 points. December maintained its premier over January, however, and the close was net 21 to 23 points up from the lowest on renewed covering.

Receipts at the ports today, 42,000 bales, against 36,442 last week, and 43,554 last year. For the week, 290,000 bales, against 239,771 last week and 370,477 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 11,741 bales, against 8,416 last year and at Houston 6,108 bales, against 22,457 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands, 11.75; middling Gulf, 12; sales, 73 bales.

Futures opened steady and closed firm to steady.

	Open.	Close.
October	11.03	11.01
November	10.88	11.02
December	10.98	11.22
January	10.78	10.83
February	(bid)10.81	10.81
March	10.81	10.81
April	10.86	10.80
May	10.86	10.79
June	10.84	10.78
July	10.84	10.77
August	——	10.65

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—FLOUR—Dull, but steady.

CORN MEAL—Steady; coarse, 1.45 @1.50.

WHEAT—Spot, easy; No. 2 red, 1.12 1-8 elevator. Options 1 cent net lower; December, 1.16 1-8; May, 1.16 1-2.

CORN—Spot, easy; No. 2 74 1-2 elevator. Options, 3-8 to 5-8 net lower; December, 76; May, 72.

OATS—Spot, steady; mixed, 56; natural white, 58 1-2@62; clipped white, 62 1-2@71.

LARD—Steady; Western prime, 9.40 @9.50; refined, quiet.

PORK—Firm; family, 19.00@19.50.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.40; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.90; molasses sugar, 3.05; refined, steady.

COFFEE—Spot, quiet; Rio No. 7, 6 3-8; Santos No. 4, 8 7-8; mild, dull; Cordova, 9@12 1-4. Futures closed easy at a decline of 5@10 points.

BUTTER—Easy; process common to special, 19@26.

CHEESE—Steady, unchanged.

EGGS—Firm, unchanged.

FREIGHTS—Steady, unchanged.

PEANUTS—Steady, unchanged.

POTATOES—Irish, easy, unchanged; sweets, firmer; Southern, per barrel, 1.75@2.00.

CABBAGES—Quiet, unchanged.

COTTONSEED OIL—Easy for spot, but firm for late months. Prime crude 33 1-2@34; prime Summer yellow, 49 @50; off Summer yellow, 44 1-2@48; good off Summer yellow, 45@48; prime white, 56; prime Winter yellow, 56.

New York Bonds.

U. S. refunding 2s reg 105
U. S. refunding 2s cou 105
U. S. 3s reg 101 3-4
U. S. 3s cou 102 1-2
U. S. new 4s reg ex int 121 1-4
U. S. new 4s cou 123
American Tobacco Co. 4s 60 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 6s 91
Atlantic Coast Line 87 1-2
Baltimore & Ohio 4s 96 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s 96
Seaboard Air Line 65
Southern Railway 99 7-8
U. S. Steel 2nd 5s 91 3-4

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper 50 1-4
American Car & Foundry 28 3-4
Amr. Car & Foundry pfd 85
American Cotton Oil 29 3-4
American Cotton Oil pfd 70
American Locomotive 44 1-2
American Locomotive pfd 92 1-2
American Smelting & Ref 71 1-4
Amr. Smelting & Ref pfd 87
American Sugar Refining 105
American Tobacco pfd cert .. 73 1-2
Atchison 79 1-8
Atchison pfd 85 1-2
Atlantic Coast Line 70
Baltimore & Ohio 86 1-8
Baltimore & Ohio pfd 83
Chesapeake & Ohio 29 1-2
Kansas City Southern 23
Kansas City Southern pfd 52 1-4
L. & N. 99 1-2
New York, Central 100 3-4
Norfolk & Western 67
Norfolk & Western pfd 77
Pennsylvania 116 7-8
People's Gas 79 1-2
Reading 87 5-8
Reading 1st pfd 75
Reading 2nd pfd 72
Rock Island Co. 15 1-4
Rock Island Co. pfd 42
Southern Pacific 73 7-8
Southern Pacific pfd 107
Southern Railway 12
Southern Railway pfd 45
Tenn. Coal & Iron 135
U. S. Steel 22 1-2
U. S. Steel pfd 82 1-2
Va-Car. Chemical 16
Va-Car. Chemical pfd 86
Seaboard Air Line .. ..——
Seaboard Air Line pfd .. .. ..——
Standard Oil 419
Western Union 68

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 11 3-4; net receipts 8,799.

New Orleans—Quiet, 11 3-8; net receipts 11,741.

Mobile—Quiet, 11 1-4; net receipts 1,134.

Savannah—Steady, 11 1-8; net receipts 9,574.

Charleston—Firm, 11 1-8; net receipts 1,337.

Wilmington—Firm, 11 3-16; net receipts 4,295.

Norfolk—Firm, 11 5-8; net receipts 2,273.

Baltimore—Holiday.

New York—Steady, 11.75.

Boston—Steady, 11.75.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.

Total today, at all ports, net receipts 40,331; Great Britain 18,913; France 7,556; Continent 15,541; Japan 11,786; stocks 552,164.

Consolidated, at all ports, net receipts 189,597; Great Britain 64,700; France 16,279; Continent 34,659; Japan 1,178.

Total since September 1st, at all ports, net receipts 1,165,748; Great Britain 338,746; France 95,621; Continent 300,720; Japan 1,514; Mexico 200.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 11 3-4; net receipts 6,118.

Augusta—Steady, 11 7-16; net receipts 3,637.

Memphis—Quiet, 11 5-8; net receipts 3,076.

St. Louis—Quiet, 11 3-4; net receipts 627.

Cincinnati—Net receipts 145.

Louisville—Quiet, 12c.

Total today—Net receipts 14,303; gross receipts 15,637; shipments 8,645; sales 5,132; stocks 154,804.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, Oct. 16.—Lower cables and favorable weather for threshing in the Northwest caused weakness today in the local wheat market. Wheat—December was off 1c. Corn was also down 1c. Oats were 1-4c lower. Provisions were 7 1-2 to 10c lower.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—December, 1.04 1-8; May, 1.10 1-4; July, 1.03.

Corn—December, 62 1-2; May, 63 1-4 @63 3-8; July, 62 3-4.

Oats—December, 54 1-8; May, 56 3-4; July, 50 1-8.

Mess pork per barrel——January, 15.87 1-2; May, 16.27 1-2.

Lard, per 100 pounds—November, 9.25; January, 9.07 1-2; May, 9.25.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—January, 8.20; May, 8.45.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour firm; No. 2 spring wheat 1.20 to 1.22; No. 3 1.05 to 1.18; No. 2 red 1.03 to 1.14 1-8; No. 2 corn 66 1-4; No. 2 yellow 66 to 1-2; No. 2 oats 54 1-8; No. 3 white 52 to 55; short ribs, sides (loose) 7.87 to 8.50; mess pork per barrel 14.87 1-2 to 15.00; lard, per 100 pounds 9.25; short clear sides (boxed) 9.62 1-2 to 9 87 1-2; whiskey, basis of high wines 1.35.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

(By Cable to the Morning Star.)

Liverpool, Oct. 16.—Cotton: Spot good business done, prices 11 points lower; American middling fair 7.09; good middling 6.69; middling 6.49; low middling 6.13; good ordinary 5.53; ordinary 4.93.

The sales of the day were 10,000 bales of which 1,000 were for speculation and export and included 9,000 American. Receipts 17,000 bales including 11,200 American. Futures opened easy and closed steady. American middling G. O. C. October 6.11 1-2; October and November 6.05 1-2; November and December 5.97; December and January 5.93 1-2; January and February 5.91 1-2; February and March 5.90 1-2; March and April 5.88; April and May 5.87; May and June 5.86 1-2; June and July 5.85; July and August 5.83 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—The dry goods trade is still considerably disturbed by the announcement of a cut in prices made by a Western house. Some cancellations of orders for goods that are long overdue have been received from Western cities. The silk piece market was gnerally quiet. Worsteds continue in fair demand, but fancy wool dress goods are easier. Wide print cloths are easier and there have been more offerings of second-hand goods in the market from converters.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—Money on call, 3 1-2 to 6 per cent., ruling rate, 3 1-2; closing bid, 4 1-2; offered at 6. Time loans, dull and firm; sixty days, 6 per cent.; ninety days, 6 1-2 per cent.; six months, 6 per cent. Close: Prime mercantile paper, 7 per cent. Sterling exchange, easier with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8615@4.8620 for demand and at 4.8235@4.8240 for sixty day bills. Comercial bills 4.82 1-8. Bar silver, 61 1-4. Mexican dollars, 47 1-2. Government bonds, easy.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—Turpentine firm 56; rosin firm.

Savannah, Oct. 16.—Spirits turpentine steady 52 1-2; sales 140; receipts 775; rosin, receipts 2,426; shipments, spirits 15; rosin 1,110; stocks, rosin 82,852; sales reported 1,768. Rosin firm. A. B. C. D. 4.25; D, 4.30; E, 4.40; F, 4.45; G, 4.57 1-2; H, 4.62 to 4.65; I, 4.67 1-2; K, 4.75; M, 5.05; N, 5.35; WG, 5.75; WW, 5.90.

Charleston, Oct. 16.—Turpentine firm 52; sales none. Rosin firm; sales 400 barrels. A. B. C. 4.20; D, 4.25; E, 4.35; F, 4.50; G, 4.52 1-2; H, 4.57 1-2 to 4.60; I, 4.60 to 4.62 1-2; K, 4.65 to 4.75; M, 4.85 to 5.00; N, 5.15 to 5.30; WG, 5.70; WW, 5.85.

MARINE

CLEARED.

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Exports—Foreign.

Liverpool—Br. Str. Cardigan, 14,625 bales cotton, valued at $950,600; cargo and vessel by Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., Oct. 16.

C. C. Railroad—150 bales cotton, 5 casks spirits turpentine, 35 barrels rosin, 18 barrels tar.

W. & W. Railroad—548 bales cotton, 1 cask spirits turpentine, 2 barrels rosin, 2 barrels tar.

W. C. & A. Railroad—3,091 bales cotton, 12 casks spirits turpentine, 65 barrels rosin, 39 barrels tar, 33 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—448 bales cotton, 24 casks spirits turpentine, 178 barrels rosin, 1 barrel tar.

W. & N. Railroad—58 bales cotton, 10 casks spirits turpentine, 47 barrels rosin.

Str. Whitlock—11 casks spirits turpentine, 68 barrels rosin, 22 barrels tar.

Total—4,295 bales cotton, 63 casks spirits turpentine, 348 barrels rosin, 82 barrels tar, 80 barrels crude turpentine.

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Jura (Br.), 2,398 tons, Fellows, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

Barques.

Hancock, 348 tons, Erb, C. D. Maffitt.

Schooners.

Harriet C. Kerlin, 458 tons, Cochran, C. D. Maffitt.

Clifford N. Carver, 973 tons, Olsen, C. D. Maffitt.

Massachusetts, 437 tons, Lane, C. D. Maffitt.

City of Georgetown, 506 tons, Slocum, Maffitt.

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CHANGE IN THE PRAYER BOOK

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(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Richmond, Va., Oct. 16.—A declaration by the House of Deputies regarding the "open pulpit," a discussion of a change in the title page of the prayer book, involving a change in the constitutional submission of a joint committee's recommendation that the triennial convention of 1910 be held in Cincinnati, O., and regarding church work in the tropics, Alaska and the Arctic region, were among hte subjects that occupied today's sessions of the general convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Both houses disposed of considerable routine business.

The declaration regarding the open pulpit was in the following resolution passed by the House of Deputies:

"No minister in charge of any congregation of this church or in case of vacancy or absence, no church warden, vestryman or trustee of the congregation shall permit any person therein without sufficient evidence of his being duly licensed or ordained to minister in this church, providing that nothing herein shall be so construed as to forbid communicants of the church to act as lay readers, or to prevent the ministers in charge of any congregation of this church when authorized by the bishop, permitting a sermon or address therein by any Christian person approved by the bishop."

In view of the circumstances arising in mission work of the church, and in the publication of the prayer book in foreign languages, the House of Bishops adopted a resolution deeming it expedient to make a change in the title part of the prayer book, in order to avoid all possibility of misunderstanding regarding the character of the church. It was, therefore, recommended that the title of the prayer book be changed by striking out the words "According to the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States." It was explained that the translation of the term "Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States," was impossible in many languages, involving at all times a substitution of terms and that in foreign fields it seemed impracticable to speak of the church as being confined to the United States.

The house deemed it inexpedient to ask any change in the legal title of the church.. The question of the prayer book will be referred to the House of Deputies for their concurrence, and in case the resolution is adopted, the change in title, involving a change in the constitution, will not be finally accepted until adopted in the convention of 1910.

The feature of tonight's session of the House of Deputies of the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in America was the passage of an overwhelming vote of the so-called archbishop bill which. however, is only for the election of a presiding bishop of the church, who will be paid, elected and controlled by the General Convention, and who will serve until he becomes seventy years of age. This bishop can only be selected from those presiding over dioceses within the United States.

The most earnest opponent of the bill was the Rev. Dr. Grosvenor, of New York, who made a brilliant speech in an endeavor to defeat it. Dr. Grosvenor contended that the election of a presiding bishop, rather than by giving the honor to the senior bishop of the church, was following the example of the church of Rome and placing a Pope over the American church. He said it was the most dangerous precedent that had ever been proposed in the church and that it was nothing in the world but a move towards centralization. There were cries of "No, no" all over the house as Dr. Grosvenor concluded.

The vote was taken by orders, and resulted in 56 to six in the clergy and 47 to 9 in the laity.

Just before the close of the night session, Rev. Dr. Huntington of New York, offered a resolution relative to the formation of a commission to make a certain revision in the church canon and report to the next general convention in Cincinnati. This change, Dr. Huntington said, was a most important one, and one that was absolutely necessary, as the church was fighting with weapons which were anticipated without being old.

In a decision rendered in New York yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Greenbaum, Attorney General Jackson is ordered to give Mayor McClellan a bill of particulars as to the alleged frauds in the mayoralty election of two years ago in 1,948 election districts in Greater New York. The attorney general in his complaint alleged that there was fraud in every district and by this decision he must give particulars.

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STOCK MARKET IN A TURMOIL

Violent Declines in Prices of Copper Stocks in Later Trading.

GROSS & KLEEBERG FAILED

Slump in United Copper Carried Them to Wall—Common Broke From $59 to $36 Per Share—Preferred Off 50 Points.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, Oct. 16.—Trading in both the New York Stock Exchange and the curb market was in a turmoil as a result of excited movements and violent declines in the prices of copper stock in the later market. The suspension of the firm of Gross & Kleeburg, members of the New York Stock Exchange, contributed material if it was not the chief cause, of the decline in both markets. This firm has been trading actively in United copper stock, and it was reported that they were members of a pool formed to support the price of the stock. Apparently there was a break in this pool yesterday as the result of which the common stock broke from $59 to $36 per share and the treasurer of the company declined to record the transfer of a block of 16,930 shares which he said had been sold in violation of the rights of parties having some interest in it. It was reported that Gross & Kleeberg, acting for the interests identified with F. Augustus Heinze, had bought in some of this stock and that the Heinze interests refused to accept the stock because of the manner in which it had been placed on the market. United Copper common, which closed at $36 yesterday, opened at $25 today, and during the excitement of the afternoon went as low as $10, from which it recovered to $15 before the close.

The preferred stock, which before today had been quoted last at 74, reached the low point of 24 today. Trading in these stocks was confined to the curb market. A rally set in before the close of the market on the belief that the effect of the failure had been discontinued.

NORTH CAROLINA VETERANS

Annual Reunion at State Fair in Raleigh—Election.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 16.—At the annual reunion of the North Carolina Division of the United Confederate Veterans tonight General Julian S. Carr was re-elected commander by acclamation. Brigadier commanders were likewise relected, P. C. Carlton, Statesville, first brigade; W. L. London, Pittsboro, second brigade; Jas. I Metts, Wilmington, third brigade; Jas. M. Ray, Asheville, fourth brigade. A committee was appointed to prepare resolutions on the death of Colonel W. J. Woodward, of Wilmington.

Upon invitation of the camp at Winston-Salem it was decided to hold the next re-union there about August fifteenth, next. Ex-Judge A. W. Graham, of Oxford, suggested that the North Carolina division follow the example of Virginia in urging upon the various camps to gather from the counties complete rosters of all Confederate troops by means of the old muster rolls and the records. However, State Auditor Dixon explained that a roster is now being made by the United States government as accurate perhaps as any could be made; that he had been told by Military Secretary Aimsworth that the North Carolina roster was almost complete; that they had all the muster rolls up to February 1865 and it will be printed the latter part of this year. On the strength of this statement Judge Graham withdrew his motion, awaiting publication of the government roster in order to see if some serious omissions from Moore's roster were corrected.

THE POSTMASTERS.

Annual Convention in Raleigh Adjourned—Rural Free Delivery.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 16.—This morning the North Carolina postmasters in joint session of the presidential and fourth-class heard an address from Superintendent W. I. Spillman, of the rural free delivery division of the postal department, in which he reviewed the establishment of the rural delivery system and the phenomenal growth, saying already five-sixths of the available territory is occupied throughout United State, Illinois leading with 2,777 routes. North Carolina is fifteenth. He contended that the department of rural delivery is really self-sustaining.

At the final session of the convention a number of important resolutions were adopted.

The by-laws were amended to provide a fourth vice president, and Postmaster R. L. Blaylock was elected to the position. Resolutions were adopted to endorse plans of the Postmaster General to establish a parcels post, to issue postal notes at all offices and to establish postal savings banks.

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VIOLENT QUAKE TO SOUTHWARD

Seismographs at Albany, Baltimore, and Toronto Record Unusual Convulsions

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Began at 9:04 A. M. and Lasted Two Hours—Disturbance Estimated to Have Occurred From 1,000 to 5,000 Miles Away.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Albany, N. Y., Oct. 16.—The occurrence of an earthquake of unusual proportions was indicated by the seismograph at the State Museum, which registered its passage during a period of nearly an hour today. The records show the disturbance to have originated at a distance of about 5,000 miles from Albany and the vibrations of one of the instruments were so violent as to exceed its limit for registering. According to a bulletin issued by State Geologist Clark, the detection of the transmission cannot be stated with certainty though from a comparison of two records received the center of the disturbance would seem to have been some where to the south or southwest. The arrival of the first waves was recorded at 9:04 A. M. and of the main vibrations at 9:14 A. M. The latter lasted about five minutes after which the swings gradually subsided but were traceable for about an hour.

Recorded at Johns Hopkins.

Baltimore, Oct. 16.—The seismograph at Johns Hopkins University shows that the earthquake was the strongest recorded by that instrument since that at San Francisco. The record shows that the disturbance began a few minutes past 9 o'clock and continued for a period of two hours. The most violent tremor was at 9:13 and during the 11 minutes following the needle of the seismograph was shaken entirely off the recording cylinder.

Professor Reid said that the record of the shock on the Hopkins seismograph was of about the same intensity as the record of the San Francisco earthquake.

Professor Harry Fielding Reid, professor of geological physics, who has charge of the Hopkins seismograph, said today that while he had not as yet had time to study the earthquake fully, he was inclined to believe that the center of the disturbance was not more than 1,000 miles away, posibly in the south Atlantic ocean in the vicinity of the Bermudas.

Toronto Reports It.

Toronto, Ont., Oct. 16.—An extraordinary earthquake shock was recorded on the Toronto observatory seismograph at 9:02. At 9:15 the tremors exceeded the scale limit of the instrument and continued for about three minutes. The vibrations continued til 10:45. The quake is estimated to have occurred 3,000 miles away, presumably south from here.

Government Seismographs Made Note.

Washington, Oct. 16.—An earthquake of great violence, was recorded by the seismograph of the weather bureau today. The strongest motion of the disturbance began shortly after 9 o'clock this morning and subsided about 6 minutes later, the approximate time as first shown by the government instruments being from 9:14 to 9:20.

The earthquake, which was one of the most violent ever recorded here, was also shown on the seismograph at the coast and geoedic survey magnetic observatory at Cheltenham, Maryland. The instrument there showed the vibrations began at 8:59.46 A. M., Eastern standard time, and continued about two hours. The maximum disturbance was from 9:14 o'clock to 9:20 o'clock.

The weather bureau was not prepared from examination of the seismograph record, to make any announcement as to the probable distance or direction.

Probable Upheaval Under Ocean.

New York, Oct. 16.—Inquiry among all of the cable companies today failed to disclose any interruption of communication in the two Americas. Those lines which run through the West Indies and to Central and South America were reported as working smoothly and the officials of the companies said that none of their offices or those of their connecting lines to the south had reported any earthquake disturbance. As the field thus covered embraces all of the West Indies, all of Central America and both coasts of South America, it is believed that the quake recorded by various seismographs today did not occur in any largely populated region on the Western Hemisphere. It probably was an under-ocean disturbance.

MUST HAVE FUNDS.

President Moore Puts North Carolina Cotton Association on Mettle.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 16.—At the annual meeting of the North Carolina Division of the Southern Cotton Association tonight, President Moore rather forcibly put the Association on its mettle in the question of whether it will remain a part of the Southern Cotton Association or not, this being necessary on account of the failure of the State Association to contribute its quota of funds for running the Southern Cotton Association. This brought much discussion and finally a resolution was adopted to the effect that the North Carolina division pledges itself to lay before the people of the respective counties the importance of raising the ncessary funds to meet the indebtedness of this division by next January.

PHILIPPINE LEGISLATURE

Secretary Taft Opened New Assembly At Manila.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Manila, Oct. 16.—Secretary Taft formally opened the Philippine Assembly in the National Theatre at 11:15 this morning in the presence of a large crowd of people. In his opening address, Mr. Taft reiterated his former statements regarding the Philippine Islands, declaring that his views announced two years ago regarding the independence of the Philippine people were unchanged. He did not believe that they would be fitted to govern themselves for at least a generation, but he added that the matter was entirely in the hands of Congress. The Secretary denied emphatically that the United States had any intention of disposing of the islands, said he had absolute confidence in the Filipinos, denied that he was disappointed at their inability to legislate conservatively and asserted his belief that they felt their responsibilities and acknowledged the necessity of supporting the American government. Mr. Taft refrained from making any suggestion regarding specific legislation on the part of the Philippine Assembly, but he recommended that attention be paid to the civil service.

WIRELESS ACROSS THE OCEAN

Marconi Station in Labrador Begins Business Today.

(By Cable to The Morning Star.)

Glace Bayns, Labrador, Oct. 16.—As already announced, the Marconi wireless stations here and at Clifden, Ireland, will be opened for the transmission of transatlantic business tomorrow. The first day will be occupied chiefly by the handling of press dispatches. These will consist, in a great part, of messages of a congratulatory nature exchanged between the press of New York and London, and Montreal.

The first message eastward will be from Sir Wilfred Laurier, premier of the Dominion of Canada, who will congratulate the English people upon the establishment of this new means of communication between Great Britain and Canada. The first westward message will be a press dispatch to New York and will be filed early tomorrow morning.

Everything was declared to be in perfect readiness tonight.

A double murder occurred near Franklin, St. Mary Parish, La., Tuesday night, when persons supposed to have been burglars entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seifred, an old couple, and butchered them with an axe. There is no clue to the identity of the murderers.

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